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(Router's Special Service).

The Union Jack was hauled down

and torn to shreds and the Welsh

flag, the "Red Dragon," substitut-

Carnaryon Castle, in North Wales

is also the Welsh National Day.

which is not so prominent.

with the Nationalist spirit.

When officials discovered the sub-

itution, they restored the Union

Jack and placed the Red Dragon

HARBIN.

DUMP GOES UP.

'Iarbin.

AMMUNITION

Tokyo, Mar. 2.

once again at the West Tower.

London, Mar. 1.

THE PEACE.

GENEVA

CHINESE DEMAND TO FIGHTING.

ATTITUDE IN WORLD'S CAPITALS.

Geneva, Mar. 1. The Japanese Government's acceptance of M. Paul Boncour's proposals for ending the strife in Shanghai, the main feature of which is the creation of an international conference on the spot, were received at Geneva this evening and forthwith communicated by Mr. Mataudaira to Sir John Simon and Mr. Sato to M. Bon-

cour. Sir John Simon urged upon Mr. Matsudaira the necessity for immediately stopping hostilities if M. Boncour's proposals were to be of any value, and the Ambassador to Britain promised to do his utmost to secure a cessation of the fighting.—Reuter.

WASHINGTON.

JAPAN WANTS A SIGNED

DOCUMENT.

Nanking Dallies.

eidentally, has not yet advised the

Chinese Charge d'Affaires of their

a ceptunce of the Geneva ar ristic-

terms, but it is believed that this

approval will be forthcoming. Mr.

W. W. Yen, at Geneva yesterday,

VATICAN PLEASED.

POPE'S MESSAGE OF

BENEDICTION.

The Osservatore Romano, the

Vatican organ, notes with rejoicing

that success is apparently nttend-

ing the steps taken towards the

re-establishment of peace in the

Far East, pointing out that this

occurred immediately after the

Pope's message of benediction on

BELGIUM'S STAND.

UPHOLDING SANCTITY

OF TREATIES.

M. Vandervelde on the steps taken

Renkin, in the Chamber this

The Chambor later upanimonaly

counting on the Reighm delegates

monting to agove request for

treaties and international engage-

ments .-- Reuter.

Brussels, Mar. 1.

Japan and China.—Reuter.

Vatican City, Mar. 1.

behalf of China.-Reuter.

The Nanking Government, in-

"CEASE FIRE!" DEMAND.

CHINESE ATTITUDE AT GENEVA.

A letter handed to the President | As a result of the Geneva and Abnormal Importations Act, which of the League Council states that Shanghai peace developments, a expires next May, Japan fully and gladly agreep's hopeful atmosphere prevails at the the terms of the plan submitted on to House and the State [right) was

Department. The spokesman of the Chinese. The Japanese Government have becomemy Comdelication states that Chinese a - notified Mr. Debuchi, their Am- 'n tice, whose scentance of M. Paul Boncour's bassador in Washington, that they report on the proto als has been communicated have a cepted in principle the linances of the to the representatives of the tieneva proposals for an armistice ecuntry preced-

Powers in Shanghai. The Chinese delegation has re-; the Chinese and Japanese military | budget last enived instructions but it is not cothorities will be continued in autumn. making any communication to the Shanghai for the preparation of was formerly League Se retariat until there had the actual document which must Secretary of the Prudential Insurbeen a ceasa inn of hostitities. - be signed before bostilities can lance Company. Resiter and British Wireless. be atopped

FRENCH ATTITUDE.

OPTIMISM WITH PRUDENCE.

Paris, Mar. 1. Optimism, tempered with prudonce, is the dominant note regarding the peace negotiations in the Far East.

It is felt that Japan particularly has a golden opportunity to prove the sincerity of her declaration that she has no territorial designs in Shanghal.

The well-known newspaper. Le Temps, says that it is precisely because Japan is one of the principal political world forces that her permanent collaboration with other Powers is regarded as an essential factor in the organisation of peace.--Reuter.

HOPES FROM "KENT" PARLEY.

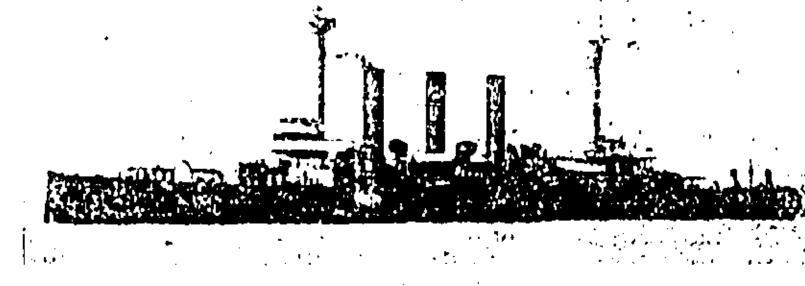
STATEMENT IN HOUSE OF COMMONS.

London, Mar. 1. Referring in a Parliamentary answer to-day to the proposals for the cessation of hostilities formulated at Shanghai as a result of the conversations on the British flagship, H.M.S. Kent the Affairs, Captain Eden, said he they may from a basis for an ments to end the Sino-Japanese agreement.

He added that of the Japanese reinforcements which had been arriving in the Shanghai area recently, only religis had been muintain the prestire of the landed in the Settlement.

Regarding the remainder of such Foreign Affairs had stated that East although Japan had the right to land troops in the Settlement and to anchor shins of war in their present the Government's declaration and position, she was carnestly desirour of minimising the langer to the Settlement and foreign interests. and that accordingly the military and moval anthorities had decided to give the matter on Invourable

consideration as possible. to-day after a brief visit to Nan-He mentioned that the British king, undertaken for the purpose Minister in China Sir Miles Lamo- of consulation with the Chinese son, was returning to Shanghal authorities .- British Wireless.



Our photo shows the Japanese flagship Idzumo, which parrowly escaped disaster yesterday when a depth mine was fired close by her.

BRITISH TARIFF UNION JACK BOARD. INCIDENT.

Large Salaries for Making Up Government's Mind.

London, Mar. 1. The personnel of the Tariff Advisory Committee, set up under the Import Duties Act, was announced by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, in the House of Commons

The members are Sir George May (chairman), Sir Sidney Chapman and Sir George Allan Powell. The committee's chief function HOPEFUL FEELING IN will be to consider representations regarding the provisions of Act and to recommend additional duties on the articles subject to the ten per cent, ad valorem duty. It will have to consider Washington, Mar. 1. | future of duties levied under the

Sir George May (pictured on

and that negotiations between ed the economy

Sir Sidney Chapman, was a

Professor of Political Economy BIG EXPLOSION AT Adviser to the Government.

Sir Allan Powell was Chairman of the Food Council and Chief. Officer of Public Assistance to the London County Council.

Mr. Percy Ashley, formerly of the Board of Trade has been aptentatively accepted the terms on pointed Secretary.

The Chairman receives five thousand pounds and the other members three thousand nounds per annum, the appointments being for three years. They held their first meeting to-day .-British Wireless.

Shanghai, 11.58 a.m. The Ninetcenth Army is retreating to Chenju, and Replying to an interpellation by Chinese troops at Nantao, who to associate Belgium as a signa- have been guarding against tory of the Nine-Power Treaty possible Japanese attack, are also with the efforts of other govern- withdrawing.

conflict, the Prime Minister, M. The Japanese threat to bomb evening, declared that Belgium the railways has not been made Kai Tack According field would join other Powers signi- in vain. At 7.30 a.m. six bombers, just as one of the machines was tories to the Pact of Paris to escorted by three fighting planes, League of Nations and to smooth let loose missiles containing high troops, the Japanese Minister for out the difficulties in the Far explosives on the Shanghal-Nanking Railway near Kunshan, passed an Order of the Day noting thirty miles from Shanghai.

> Japanese planes intend to bomb to the special League Assembly the Chinese positions near Liuho some time this morning.—Reuter.

ATTEMPTS MINE WARSHIPS

WRECKAGE ON DESTROYER.

SEARCH PARTIES OUT TO DAY.

(Our Own Correspondent).

Shanghai, Mar. 2. Yesterday's "earthquake" which caused a considerable scare in the Settlement among the Chinese, proved on investigation to have been caused by an attempt to blow Japanese war vessels in the harbour.

Persons believed to be associated with the Chinese military apparent ly touched off two depth mines in the immediate vicinity of the cruiser, Idzumo, the flagship of Admiral Nomura, and the destroyer, ed by ardent Welsh Nationalists at Oie.

FIRST AT 11 A.M.

The incident followed local agia-There were two blasts. The tion for some time past that the first was touched off at about (Welsh flag should be flown from eleven o'clock in the morning on the highest tower of the Castle on the Pootung side of the river. St. David's Day, March 1, which near the Oie.

The explosion was terrific, but Government sanction for this caused little damage to the dewas, however, refused and the Red stroyer, other than wrecking the Dragon was flown, as previously, furniture in the wardroom.

from the West Tower of the castle, ! The second blast, which was so terrific that it rocked the whole of The flag was, however, removed the centre of the International and nailed to the highest tower by Settlement, went off near the an amateur steeplejack imbued! Idzumo at 1.20 p.m.

 It is considered remarkable that such a terrific shock did so little damage to the flagship.

ADMIRAL ABOARD.

A party of students later enter-Admiral Shiosawa was on board ed the castle, climbed the tower the Idzumo at the time and he statcand again removed the Union ed that the explosion occurred with-Jack, which was torn to ribbons the port side.

the explosion occurred, conferring with General Shirakawa, the commander of the Eleventh Japanese Division, which arrived during the morning. They were discussing, it is supposed, where the troops should be employed.

LOOKING FOR MORE.

After the explosions, the Japanese warships immediately lowered small vessels carrying searching parties, looking for more mines. It is reported that more than a The search is still proceeding thi hundred casualties, including morning and the occupants of sam-Chinese guards and civilians. pans approaching anywhere near resulted from a terrific explosion the warships are closely scrutinisin a Chinese powder magazine ed.

near the Mahchinokou Race-Two Chinese sampan men, who course, in the sorthern suburb of The explosion is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

> the street, receiving a lacerated wound to his left thigh. His condition is not serious.

THE WAR.

EXPECTED.

HEAVY BOMBARDMENT OF CHAPEI.

BIG BATTLE SHAPING IN TAZANG AREA.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT).

Shanghai, Mar. 2, 10.15 a.m. THE CHINESE FORCES ON THE KIANG-WAN FRONT ARE FALLING BACK ON TAZANG FOLLOWING RELENTLESS PRESSURE BY THE JAPANESE SINCE THEY COMMENCED THEIR BIG OFFEN-SIVE YESTERDAY MORNING.

Fighting proceeded all through the night, and the Japanese admit to considerable losses, while claiming advances of over three thousand yards on the right flank and considerable gains all along the line. There was a brief cessation of the infantry engagement this morning while the new Chinese positions were subjected to a severe strafing.

By eight o'clock, however, the infantry were again engaged. The Chinese are giving ground slowly. There is no suggestion of a disorderly retreat and they are inflicting much damage on the attacking forces. Strong defences are prepared at Tazang, and 'their stubborn resistance probably means that they will be as difficult to dislodge at Tazang as they were at Kiangwan Village.

the Japanese concentrated their Knoll buoy, situated south of the in thirty metres of the vessel on artillery at Hongkew Park upon Leacon on Blockhouse Island, the Chinese position in Chapei and which is also known as lyawasha. Admiral Nomura was away when again many fires are raging there. At present, two Japanese transtaken place, the Japanese have lying off the South-East Knoll suffered many casualties and are buoy, and to-morrow seven more unable to report any advance.

There has been much activity on the Shanghai-Nanking Railway since the announcement by the Japanese that they intend to besides troops, a number of flatment of troops stops.

ing and Japanese acroplanes yes- troops on the many creeks which terday soared over the Markham abound in the fighting areas. Road goods yard and heavily bombed the lines.

POOTUNG FIGHT COMING

It is learned that the Japanese of attack unless they retire. were found close to the ships after are planning to land some of the the explosions, have been arrested. reinforcements now arriving on the Pootung mainland and there During building operations on a region in the near future, unless Chinese troops, on the Klangwan house in Hennessy Road yesterday a the peace negotiations come to front have abandoned their posiworkman. Tsol Shiu, aged 30, a brick- anything, in which matter there tions, having carried out a general layer, lost his balance and fell into is little confidence at present. The point of disembarkation for the dawn.

Last night and this morning, to be opposite the South-East In the street fighting which has ports with troops on board are are due to arrive in that locality.

BOATS FOR CREEKS.

The transports have on board, destroy the lines unless the move- bottomed boats and also motorboats, the idea being to utilise these Fresh troops have been arrivicanft for the transportation of

> The reason for the landing of troops on the Pootung side is officially stated to be that there are Chinese troops in the Pootung hinterland which will be the object

JAPANESE CLAIMS.

Shanghai, Mar. 2, 9:56 a.m. is reason to expect fighting in this . The Japanese claim that the retreat in the darkness preceding the Japanese troops is understood

(Continued on Page 7.)



The result of a direct hit by a Japanese bond on the maintain whole place was wrocked her hat?

KNOCKED DOWN BY PLANE.

Plain-clothed soldiers are sus-

pected of an attempt to blow up

a Japanese hangar in the neigh-

bourhood .- Reuter.

WOMAN INJURED AT KAI TACK.

The somewhat unusual experience of being knocked down by an aeroplane befel a married woman named Chung Mui yesterday

She was attempting to cross the landing, when she was struck by the plane.

Only minor injuries were recrived, these being treated later at the Kowloon Hospital. It was not found necessary to detain her.

TO-MORROW'S ASSEMBLY MEETING.

Paris, Mar. 1. M. Paul Boncour has been appointed chief French delegate to the special meeting of the League Assembly on Thursday. M. Massigli and M. Basdevant are also appointed delegates.—Reuter.

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LI SHU-FAN'S ADDRESS AT ROTRARY CLUB.

HUGE PROBLEM.

a most illuminating address on tuberculosis work. the present situation of tubercu-

against tuberculosis. I hail also munity. the periodical publication by the health authorities of the death

conscience of the community. and each home, then, becomes a f per supervision under the tuberculosis medical officer, the visiting

nurse or health visitor. In the warfare against tuberculosis it is essential that the community should possess a complete anti-tuberculosis scheme. Such a scheme should include the provision of tuberculosis dispensaries, sanatoria, open-air schools, after-

care committees, etc. The working of this machine should be conducted by tuberoulosis medical officers, the health visitors and the visiting nurses.

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ferred to him. While the late and advising them periodically. sorted out for the annatoria.

that tuberculosis is curable, pro- the argument may be fittingly vided it is detected and treated answered by the adage: in the early stage of the disease. good is done by looking at the The free and expert dispensary mouth of a starving horse;" and Describing the disease as one of service should attract a large the second part by the Chinese the most gigantic problems that number of such early cases. Such saying: "Distant water cannot put mankind is compelled to tackle, a dispensary is really an out-pa- out a nearby fire." Dr. Li Shu-fan, F.R.C.S., delivered tient department solely devoted to

The main function of the sanalosis and how to combat it, at torium is the treatment of early is a sanatorium if at the end of yesterday's Rotary Club luncheon, cases. The earlier the treatment, the treatment the patient has to which was held in Messrs. Lane the shorter will be the stay in the return to his former unsanitary Crawford's restaurant, under the sanatorium. The larger the num- surroundings? As a matter of Chairmanship of Sir William her of restored patients with fact the sanatorium is a practical Hornell. He said, in part: - working capacity, the greater is school for the patient. Here he One of the most beneficent legis- the reward to the community with will learn all the rules of health, lation in Hongkong in this con- many lives of usefulness re- what to avoid and how to get nexion is the recently passed Anti- claimed. On the other hand, if well, and he should certainly be Spitting By-Law as applied to pub- the diagnosis and treatment are instilled with the will to get well, lic eating houses. It is a step in delayed, the greater will be the which counts so much in the batthe right direction, and I sincerely number of incurables and the more the Moreover, the educational trust that this will mark the begin- severe the misery and burden to value of a sanatorium among a ning of the long overdue movement both the family and the com- wide circle of patients' relatives

Sanatoria Work.

awakening the anti-tuberculosis activities, apart from the treat- which will, after discharge, renment of early cases. It could der the patient any necessary ad-Next in importance to the control treat patients in the pre- vice, relief, help, or improvement of spitting is the segregation of tuberculosis stage with a view of home conditions, advanced cases of tuberculosis with to prevention. In the United The provision of the dispenthe view of controlling the main States a special institution saries, sanatoria and the aftersource of infection. In England of this nature is provided care committee are absolute necestuberculosis is made a notifiable apart from the sanatorium, sities. These undertakings may disease. It is thought that the and is called the preventorium, be met at first by united public

as gardening, poultry-farming, health nurse visitors, etc. etc. Finally it can follow up

All doubtful cases should be re- cases after discharge, examining cases are referred to the segrega- I once heard the argument that tion hospitals, or supervised home owing to climatic conditions Hongtreatments, the early cases are kong is not the place for a sanatorium, and that the best piace for It is now generally, accepted it is Weihniwei. The first part of

Education of Patients.

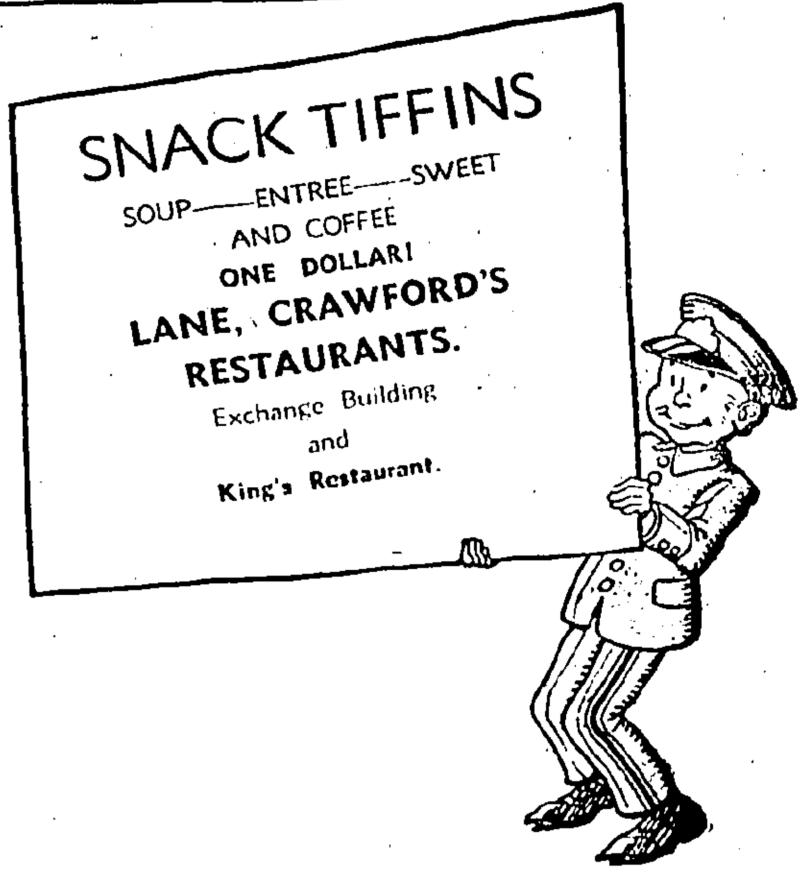
Another argument is, what good

and acquaintances lays a sure foundation for the prevention of tuberculosis in the future. One The sanatorium could be made must not forget the beneficent is probably no better means of the centre of many beneficent part of the after-care committee,

removal of advanced and incur- It is defined as "a 24-hour, 12- efforts, and should be subsidized month institution for the care and or, as in many countries, entirely would remove the chief source of observation of children sub-stand- undertaken, by the government, infection. As long as advanced and in health." For this reason These activities may either be uncases are permitted to remain at the Grancher System as adopted der the auspices of the anti-tuhome without supervision, they in France has much to commend, bereulosis society or in close coare a constant menace to the According to this system the child operation with it. The society family and those around them. is taken away from the tuberculo- should include in its scope the sis home and is transferred to the inauguration of anti-tuberculosis care of a selected farmer's family, campaigns, the provision of health tive to segregation is the improve- The scope of the sanatorium can lectures, the distribution of literament of home conditions with pro- be further extended by teaching ture on tuberculosis, the appointpatients such open-air occupations | ment of after-care committees, the

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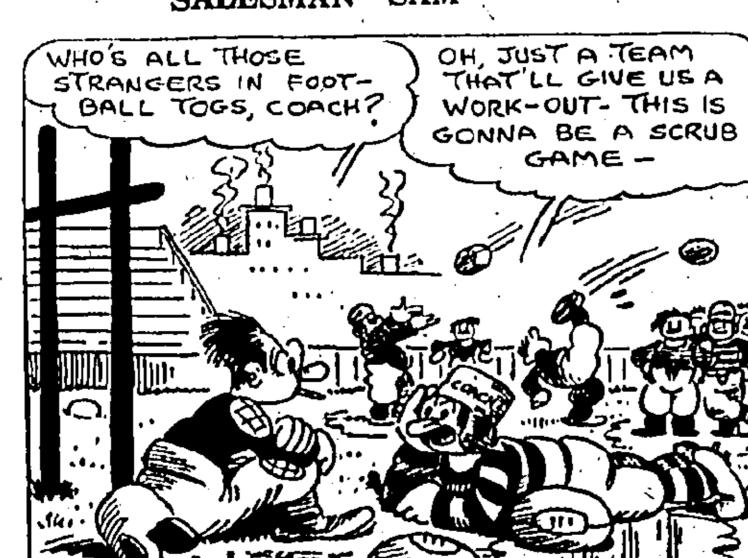




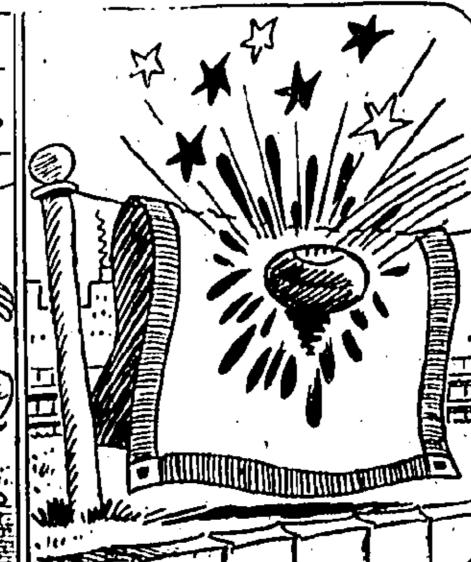
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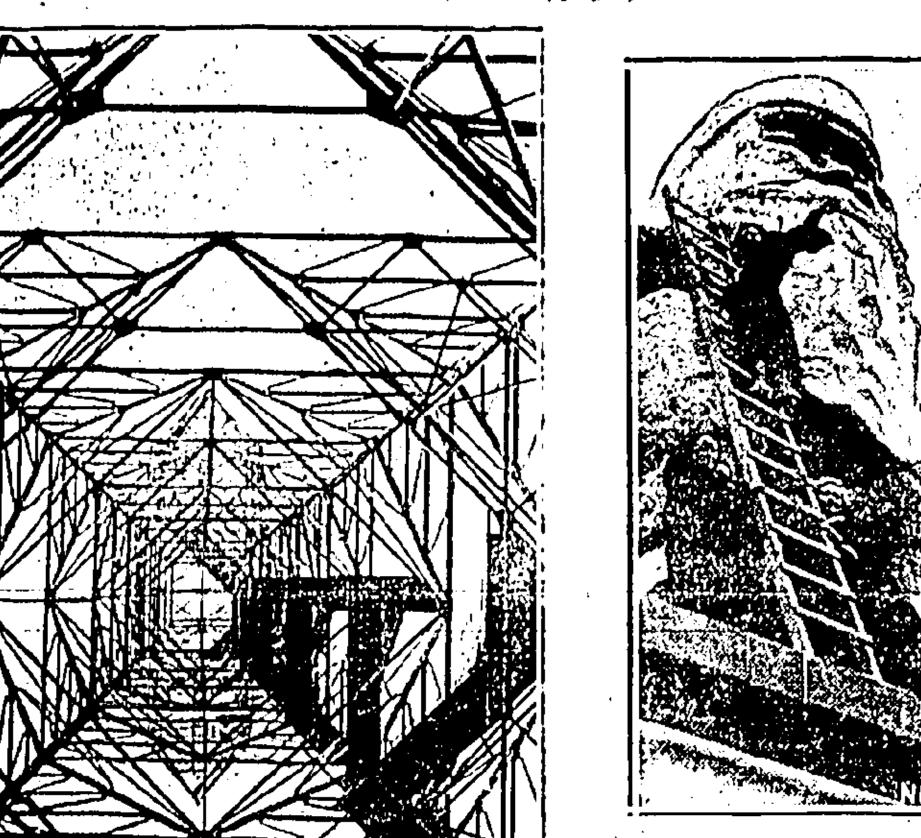
Nicholas-with a talking ma-

chine voice that answer the

questions of children.



ditch in the Cranford Handicap Steeple chase. The winner, Mr. E. Platt's Kingsford (No. 2), is seen on the left .- (Times copyright).



Looking up the interior of one of the 300 ft. high pylons



The Prime Minister opened the new radiotelephone service between England and South Africa. He is seen in his study at No. 10, Downing street talking to General Hertzog in Capetown.-(Times copyright).



THE PRINCE OF WALES made an important speech at a special meeting organized by the National Council of Social Service at the Albert Hall. He is shown at the beginning of the meeting, over which he presided.-(Times copyright).



REGIN HERE TO-DAY.

When the story opens Anne has been engaged to Philip Ecroyd, young inwyer, for eight to me," years' They can not marry because Anne knows her slaters and grandparents depend she thought, maybe, Bea had been with whom she is falling in love though she to the point of talking marriage. Frances and her friend, Ermintrude Rill, But, anyway, Cisay, what can a Armount, stock company actor. To Mary- girl do with a man who says he Frances he is an intensely communic ugure | can't quarrel? It's swell for him, ! She musts him secretly and promises to see of course. But it simply means to the office to his car. He bees her to set utterly about everything-you

CHAPTER XIX

together for quite a while to find and-" out whether they want to marry. "Ch, yeah? Put that in the "he did have a reason, of course; "When is it to be?"

say that they'd had an argument, member." but that as far as she was con- She was swaying down the aisle, money and clothes and chauffeurs was of Phil, did not run after him. cerned it was just foolishness, and and everyone was staring at her and trips to Europe, and who cried Men hated pursuit—or so Cecily she never dreamed that he was tweeds, her trim.little hat, and the about him. really angry. She said he just gloves with their extravagant wrin- Her pink dress was too shora, glad that she had too much pride. didn't talk. So then she came kles.

right in and didn't offer to kiss him Anne, Crelly and Mary-Frances Fenwick good night-but she said she he with their grandparents, once wealthy, thought he would have, if she'd carnings apport the household. The sisters waited. A man can't get mad and have been orphaned since childhood. The quit every time a girl doesn't offer grandparents are known respectively as to kiss him good night, can be?" Anne, 28, and Coeff, 22, do secretarial "I should hope not. Just the work and Mary-Frances, 16, is still in school, same—that sounds like a quarrel

"Well, what if it was? Lutie said Ceelly has a new admirer, Barry Mckeel, flirting a little, trying to get him Next, morning Phu comes to take Anna that he'd have to have his own way their wedding date. When she points out the obstacles they come near to quarrellng, certify girls had had their share of grey certify, friend, Marta, tells her Barry girls had had their share of grey McKrel is a heart-breaker and not to be matter they'd have let him out for air when he first pulled that 'can't (quarrel line. What can you do with a man like that? Honestly! "Were they engaged?" Cecily Just, 'Yes, dear' and 'No, dear' gave it a not-that-it-matters in- around him all the time. Silliest thing I ever heard of!"

won't he? I don't expect a man make a fuss at Gretchen's party.

"Well," said Cecily, essaying logic, think how I've stood up for her."

who knows about it, if she has any way. He'll be glad to get out and Herbert had another engage- her-well, at least her absurd adsense, will leave him utterly alone." of it. Makes me sick when I ment. She remembered that miration for him.

if it was only that he suddenly got | "A week from to-morrow night, | that people slandered him. tired of them. Maybe the girls Gretch didn't ask me until yester- Throughout the day she did to have her cry. Barry would hate didn't know the reason; but maybe day evening, but she said I finished think of a few other things. She to have anyone cry. Barry was they did and didn't like to tell.! the list. I'll bet I'm a fill-in. She thought that her pink dress and gentle. Barry was reasonable. "No, sir. I don't think so. Bea said she'd tried to get me before, Ann's yellow were too short; and Everyone should be reasonable. told Lutie everything. Of course, but I've been home except for the that all their clothes were dowdy She had played with boys, hadn't Bea did say that when she began to Allens' luncheon and the bridge and out of fashion. She thought she? Why shouldn't he have playgo with Barry he told her that he club. Probably she didn't mean to that Barry was an entire stranger ed with girls? Was it his fault couldn't quarrel. That he had a ask me either. Jean's having sinus to her, and that she had been an that he had grown tired? She complex or something about quartrouble again. Here's my street, idiot to hope to touch the far edges had done things of the sort. rels. I forget whether she said I'll fix Gretch Stelgerwald sooner of his life. She never, of course, Nearly everyone had. Refused to complex or repression—but you or later. Call me up, Clssy. Re- had really hoped to enter into his answer the telephone? Refused to member.—Marta took a step back- life. She must have known that answer notes? Well, the silly ward and stooped to murmur in his life was full before she had ever things should not have pursued and be couldn't. But Ben and and stooped to murmur in his life was full before she had ever and he couldn't. But Bea said they Cecily's ear-"what I told you met him. Full? Crammed with him with telephone calls and notes. hadn't actually quarreled. She did about that Barry McKeel. Re- girls, glamorous girls who lived in Even Ann (poor Ann, her yellow

She had not dared take even a sip New if, when she went into the

"No, they weren't engaged," said | Cecily forced herself to stop | Cecily remembered. All day from Billy's flask the other even-Marta. "But, honestly, Cissy, thinking that it might be tolerable long she remembered, variously, ing for fear-since she had never when a man has been madly rush- to "Yes, dear" and "No, dear" She remembered it as an unforgiv- taken sips--it might go to her head ing a girl for months, if he's de- around Barry all the time and said, able falsehood and an insupportable and make her act silly. She cent he'll force her to let him down, "Marta, promise me that you won't | truth; she remembered it as egre- couldn't smoke; she had never got gious nonsense, as none of her into the habit of using all this to marry every girl he goes with. Gretchen has loads of friends, and affair, as a cardinal component of smart new slang, because Grand-Like mamma says, they have to go I owe her ever so many parties, her life. She remembered, con- and Rosalie frowned so darkly at scientiously, to forget all about it slung. Any man who was as and sound happy when she tele- sophisticated as Barry and who But I do say that when a man will Ugh-Huh department. The more I phoned to Ann, at noon, to tell her was not positively brutal would do that twice in two years—just think of it the madder I get. I that she had given up the idea of have to feel at least a stirring of throw two dandy girls down flat, won't make a fuss. I'm not going, a birthday party. Oh-different pity for a stupid, dowdy, provincial and for no reason at all—any girl Herbert can't bear Gretchen, any. reasons. For one thing, Marta person who had shown so plainly

This strange-looking Japanese armoured train car, an impreganable fortress in itself, is shown following troops as the army occupied Chinchow. Note the Japanese flag being flown by the per-

ambulatory fort.

Barry was cruel and fickle, and that But for Maria she too might he was kind and honourable, and soon have been crying about that the Barry McKeel. Barry would hate New York and who had made of was away too short), as sure as she had been informed. She was very



Lt. Commander J. D. de M. Leathes. who commanded and was lost with the M. 2. He was at one time on the China

street from the building this evening, Barry were not there-But he would be there. He had said that he'd be right there by the door. But if he weren't? If she should never see him again? If he refused to answer her telephone

They dired in a queer, empty ittle place that smelled of new! lumber and was stuck on the side (Continued on Page 101)

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of the Company. And Notice is further hereby given that the Register and Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 14th to the 23rd day of March, 1932, both days Inclusive.

LIANG CHI HAO. Managing Director. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1932,

CHINA ENTERTAINMENT & LAND INVESTMENT CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General to attend these practices, particus Meeting of the Members of the farly the first on Friday, Ith. China Entertainment & Land Investment Co., Ltd., will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, King's Theatre Building, 5th Flyor, at 12.45 p.m. on Wedness I day, the 23rd day of March 1932. for the purpose of considering. and if thought fit, passing the

following Resolution: That there shall be added to Article 71 of the Articles of Association of the Company the words: -

Thut the Chairman shallreceive double remuneration." AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that a further Ex. June, 1932, on application to:traordinary General. Meeting of MACAO GREYHOUND RACING the Members of the China Entertainment & Land Investment Co., Ltda will be held at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, the 13th day of April 1932, for the purpose of receiving a report of the proceed ings at the Sbove-mentioned Meeting and of confirming, if thought fit, as a Special Resolution the abovementioned Resolution. Dated this second day of March

> LIANG CHI HAO? Managing Director.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION.

for the Year ending 31st December, TARY upon Introduction by a Mem-1931, at the rate of Three Pounds, ber, such Member to be responsible Sterling at exchange 1/5% is for Payment of All Chits, &c. payable on and after the 29th February, 1932, at the Offices of the Corporation, where shareholders are requested to apply for Varrants.

By order of the Board of Directors. House previded they are ordered from V. M. GRAYBURN. Chief Manager.

Houghong, 27th February, 1932. HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL

SOCIETY. THE ANNUAL SHOW of Agent | FLOWERS and VEGETABLES will be held at the VOLUNTEER PARADE GROUND on THURS-DAY, the 3rd MARCH, 1932, from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Lady Peel has kindly consented to present the

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

Registered Offices of the Company, Building, Des Voeux Road Central, Noon of Monday, the 7th day Accounts for the year ended 31st Report of the Directors for the December, 1934, of the piece

By order of the Board of Directors,

ALLAN KEITH. Secretary.

Hongkong, 1st March, 1932. ST. PATRICK'S SOCIETY OF HONG KONG.

Practice Dances will be held in l Helena May Institute on Fridays, of his offer, which sum shall be Monday, March 14th,

Members and friends are invited

G. P. MURPHY,

R. T. MAHONY, Joint Hon, Secretaries

NOTICE MACAO GREYHOUND RACING CLUB, MACAO.

Holders of \$10 Cash Sweep sickets sold by the above Club are hereby notified that this Race is convolled, and that such tickets will be exchanged for tickets of 🖪 the same value in the 5th. Race of the Meeting to be held on 4th.

-CLUB. oth, Floor, Central Hotel,

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The FIRST EXTRA RACE MEET-ING will be held (Wenther Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY Saturday, 5th March, 1932, Commencing at 2 p.m. The First Hell will be Rung at

1.30 p.m. MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE. Members are notified that they and

prominently displayed. No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and The Final Dividend declared \$3,00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRE

their Ladies must wear their Badges

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will not be on sale at the On No Prefect, will Children be

permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting. Titling are obtainable at the Club the No. 1 3oy by 5 p.m. on March 4th. Telephone 21920.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE. The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price. Bookmakers, Tie Tae Men, &c. will not be permitted to operate with in the Precincts of the Hongkone Jockey Club during the Race Meeting Tiffin will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

> C. B. BROWN, Secretary

Hongkong, 29th February, 1932.

By Order,

LISTEN-IN

9.30 To-night.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMEN

No. S. 76.—It is hereby notific that sealed tenders in triplicat NOTICE is hereby given that the | which should be clearly marke that the SECOND ORDINARY 43rd Ordinary Annual Meeting of Tender for Kowloon Quary Le GENERAL MEETING OF SHARE. Shareholders will be held at the No. 16," will be received at the HOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the Company, Exchange | Colonial Secretary's Office unt King's Theatre Building, 5th Victoria, Hongkong, on Thursday, March, 1932, for the occupation Floor, on Wednesday, the 23rd day the 31st day of March, 1932, at for a period commencing from the of March, 1932, at 12 Noon to Noon, for the purpose of receiving date of notification of acceptance receive the Directors' Report and a Statement of Accounts and the of tender and ending on 31s December, 1931, to elect Auditors, year ended 3'st December, 1931. | parcel of ground at Thi Kok Ts The Transfer Books of the Com- as shown coloured red on a pla ness as may be properly transacted pany will be closed from Saturday. signed by the Director of Publ at an Ordinary General' Meeting 12th March, 1932, to Thursday, 31st Works and dated 15th Februar March, 1932, both days inclusive. | 1932, and subject to the condition which can be ascertained at t office of the Director of Publ Works. Upset annual fec \$450

> Each tender must be accompanied by a receipt to the effect that the tenderer has deposited in the Colonial Treasury a sum \$250 as a pledge of the bona fides event of the tenderer, whose tender is accepted, refusing to carry out the terms and conditions of his tender.

On the acceptance of a tender the deposits of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them. Form of tenders and further particulars can be obtained from the office of the Director of Public

Works. The Government does not bind Itself to accept the highest or any

HAROLD T. CREASY. Director of Public Work (a) Hongkong, 19th February, 1932.

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The Institute will re-open on Friday, March 4th. Provision will be made for instruction in

which there is sufficient demand. Prospectus may be obtained at the or St. George's Building, Top floor.

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Notice is hereby given that the Forty-third Ordinary Yearly Meeting will be held at the Company's Offices, P. and O. Building, on March 4th and March 11th and on forfeited to the Crown in the Wednesday, 23rd March, 1932 at Il a.m. for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directora together with a statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1931 and electing Directors and Audi-

> The Register of Members of the Company will be closed from 10th March 1932 to 23rd March 1932, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

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American Ports Arizona Maru Mon., Mar. 7, 10.30 a.m.

Shinyo Maru Mon., Mar. 8 and Europe via Siberia Reg., Mar. 7, 5 p.m. Letters, Mar. 8, 830 s.m. (Due San Francisco, 1st April) *Superscribed Correspondence only.

CINEMA BLAZE.

FIFTEEN PEOPLE INJURED IN BULGARIA.

Rustchuks, Bulgaria, Mar. 1. Fifteen people were injured, including several children, when panic-stricken spectators jumped an opportunity on Friday of help-

cinema show here. the spectators were trapped in the evening. The occasion is the gallery, and had to jump over to carnival ball which is being held escape the flames. The two film at the Peninsula Hotel from 9 p.m. operators fled, but were later to 2 a.m. together with manager.-Reuter's Special vice.

COMPANY REPORT.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

will be a large attendance. Subject to audit, the Directors of the Green Island Cement Company, Ltd. will at the forthcoming meeting of shareholders, to be held on Thursday, March 31, next, recommend the following allocation of profits: To pay a dividend of 45

cents per share on the old shares\$180,000.00 To pay a dividend of 6 cents par share on the

S.P.C.A. CARNIVAL BALL.

ENJOYABLE FUNCTION FOR FRIDAY.

Residents of the Colony have from the gallery to the pit, fellow- ing a most deserving cause, the ing the outbreak of a fire at a Society for the Prevention Cruelty to Animals, and at the The fire spread so rapidly that same time enjoying a most happy

> A thoroughly enjoyable time is assured all patrons, a feature being the prize competition for Supper will fancy costumes.

also be served. Tickets, \$7.50 each, may be obthined from the Poninsula Hotel, Messrs. Moutrie and Co., the Anderson Music Co., the Tsang. Fook Plano Co., and Thomson and Co. It is hoped that there

new shares 24,000.00 To place to general reserve 100,000.00 To place to reserve for staff passages 10,000.00 To carry forward to credit of next year's account 09,848.88

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THE LOCAL BY-LAWS NOW EXTENDED.

A meeting of the Sanitary Board held yesterday under the Chairmanship of the President (Mr. G. R. Sayer), passed a resolution extending the anti-spitting regulations-originally applied to Enting-Houses only-to other premises where contact with food sold to the public is thought possible.

The Chairman, pursuant to notice, moved the following:

"That the Hoard does approve! the introduction forthwith of bylaws (or conditions of grant) as circulated in regard to spitting in each and all of the following premises licensed or registered by the Board namely ...

- (i) Premises specially licensed under Section 78 for the nale of food unually sold in
- a market. (if) Accated water factories.
- 'ili) Bake-houses. iv) Food-preserving establish-
- (v) Dairies:
- (vi) Public Laundries.

The Chairman said that those of them who were present when the Board introduced the by-laws regulating splitting in enting houses would remember that in seconding, Mr. Chan had suggested that they should make similar regulations in respect of all premises controlled by the Board. This proposal to give effect to that suggestion, due to the customary modesty of Mr. Chau, was being moved by him (the Chairman).

Continuing, the Chairman said that there were certain differences in detail which differentiated the premises on the list from enting houses. Eating houses were places of public resort. He also recollected Mr. Chau's argument that they were nothing more or loss than the poor man's dining table. Members would find that none of the places on this list could be said to be places of public resort Nevertheless, it could also be found that spitting in one or other of them was injurious to health, and it appeared to him appropriate. that these different premises should come under the same regulations, and spitting therein restricted. Substantially, the arguments were precisely the same as the arguments for the by-laws which had received the attention of this Board and which with the assent of the Legislative Council had become law.

The Tuberculosis Evil.

The Chairman referred to the serious incidence of tuberculosis in the Colony and stressed the desirability of introducing such regulations as one means of eradicating the disease.

Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau expressed his pleasure at the promotness with which his suggestion had been taken up by the President of the Board, and quoted certain portions of the speech made by Dr. Li Shu-fan at the Rotary Club meeting that afternoon as being appropriate to the occasion. Mr. M. K. Lo associated himself with the remarks of the Chairman

and of Hon, Mr. Chau. The proposition was passed by

the meeting. Those present included the President, Mr. G. R. Sayer, Vice-President, Hon. Mr. H. T. Creasy, the Medical Officer of Health, Dr. G. W. Pope, Mr. Wong Kwong-tin. Hon, Mr. T. N. Chau, Mr. M. K. Lo, Dr. R. A. Castro Basto, Mr. I C. F. Bellamy, Mr. J. H. Gelling (Secretary), and Mr. Ng Mui-kai (Assistant Secretary).

The return of cases of notifiable diseases in the Colony during the week ended last Saturday shows that there were seven fatal cases of smallpox, ten cases of diphtheria, three of which were fatal, six of enteric fever of which two were fatal, and one fatal case of cerebro-spinal fever. There were 38 deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis. Two cases of small-pox, two of diphtheria and one of enteric square coffee or tea pots, and un-comb, and in front of this are two small clothes brush is packed at the foot, with a wide guard for the fever were reported on Monday,

WOMEN'S WORLD

FOR OUR LADY READERS.

AMERICAN SOCIETY LADIES SEEN RECENTLY AT PALM BEACH.



On The Palm Beach Scene -Fashionables whose names are written large in the Social Register are shown (left to right) as they appeared before the camera's eye; Mrs. Deering Howe, Mrs. R. Amcotts Wilson, Mrs. Leonard Thomas, Mrs. Harrison Williams and Mrs. J. Gordon Douglas. Below Exclusive Sea Spray Beach!

| By Betsy Schuyler, |

The scene is growing much the nobility and celebrities ar- | jacket riving and the clothes everybody white,

At a pole match at Phipps Howeved short-sleeved jacket, Mrs. John S. Phipps, driving from Casa Bendita, had on a sun yellow pleated silk frock, with neat flannel jacket of the same yellow! topping it.

white T-strapped sandals. In the Rose Pink of Fashion. Pastels are fashionable, with way and that over her back. rose pink ta favourite. Mrs.

ATTRACTIVE BREAKFAST

SETS.

usual little milk jugs.

day she drove down to see the back crepe worn by Mrs. John M. races at Hisleah Park. Miami, Rutherford, which was most in-

Embassy Club, this resort's smart | gown, worn by Mrs. George Warclothes to dance in the Arabian was topped by a long, smart coat Night's setting of coloured, float, of the same velvet. ing balloons, sweet flowers and soft but snappy music.

It's the jacket that makes the liants and a long, fitted cont. ming, but handsome pyjamas favourite horses at the Miam fabric vogue a good break, Mrs. J. sparkle and a fitted matching coat bright blue outfit, full trousers, colour Gordon Douglas topped her hand-that came to ankle length, cut'in pull-on top and a huge floppy hat brimmed felts of menchalant fagotted white crepe frock with many gores with all of them left made of celophane, all shiny and mood, in pastel colours. a neat brown knitted jacket with open for about a foot from the becoming. For a little variety high-waisted effect gained through bottom, looked lovely in black and also to emphasize this red

shoulder straps that crossed this and on one foot a red and white her lacquered toenails.

more colourful, both in regard to with a double-breasted angora tricately cut, with low decolletage of soft rose tone over and four of the handsomest jewelled clips catching it at the At the opening of the Florida, shoulders, One lovely white

There were many dark gowns, la blue and white striped one,

FEMININE WRITING CASE.

Some of the newest floral china appeal to any woman also serves

for breakfast or ten sets is most as a tiny vanity case, for it con-

attractive. One set in cream and tains a mirror, comb, and space for

pale blue china has clusters of powder puff. Made of pale blue

hollyhocks, tulips, and hydrangens leather, the case matches the minia-

painted in natural colours at the ture pencil, pen and penknife which

about half-way up. The set is the mirror. The mirror fits into a

A small writing, set which will

Decring Howe looked sweet the jeatstanding among which was the Pull-overs Go on Dress Parade.

Pull-overs are tremendously smart for all kinds of dressier. wear. Mrs. Harrison Williams wears a lovely hand-woven black and white striped pull-over with three-quarters sleeves and a crew Field the other day, Mrs. Hubert remeasy cano, this resorts smart some word of cherry red velvet and white flannel skirt. A polka-land had the matched up her trite dressed up in scintillating sash bow of cherry red velvet and dotted scarf of red and white adds its touch.

They're wearing perfectly gor-Brimmed hats are coming into geous pyjamas at the exclusive their own under the hot rays of Mrs. Charles Minot Amory wore Everglades Club. White swimming Old Man Florida Sun. Mrs. R. white, with crossed straps of bril- suits have the vote for real swim- Ameotts Wilson, scoring her frock down here this year, and no Alice Delamar wore creamy crepe emerge to sit on the sands. Mrs. races, wore a white panama of two are alike. Giving the knitted romain, with the bodice all a- John Gaston wears a gorgeous medium brim and little band of and, golfing, wears

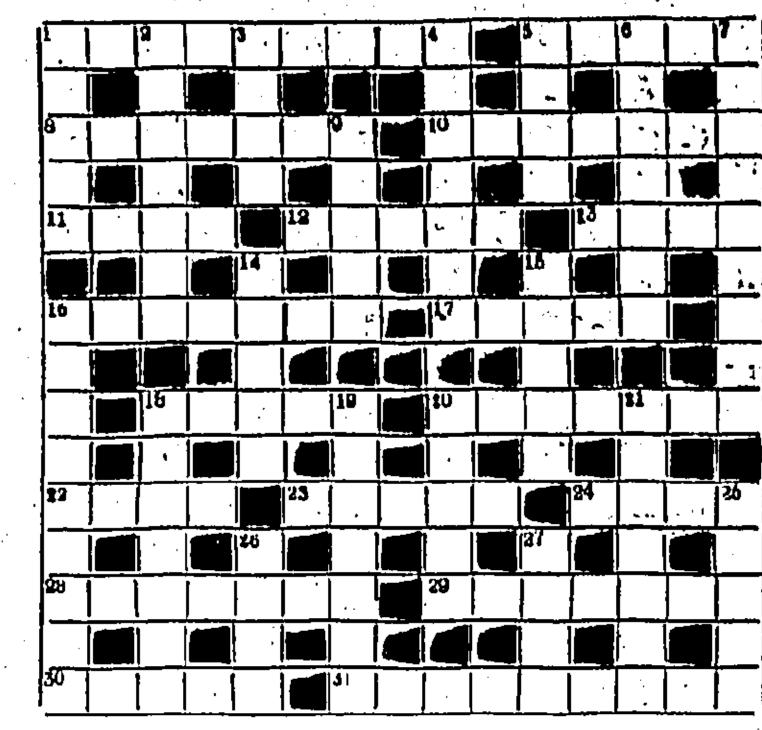
Open-toed sandals are seen a wide self-belt and flaring liftle satin with a most unusual de- white-and-blue season that the everywhere, daytime and evening. short sleeves. She were a brown colletage, with the low bodice and Washington 200th anniversary is The Princess Anna Hynski, wife delightful, and the people here and white figured scarf tied in a the high cut back all of brilliants. introducing, Mrs. Leonard Thomas of Prince Dmitri, wears them bow in front and brown and Mrs. Gail Grant was very smart wears a suit of blue pyjamas, con- both daytime and evening, but it in pale blue with narrow, double trasted with red and white stripes is only at the beach that you see stripped sandal, and on the other dressed women are hosiery for evenings.

SANDALS WITH HEELS.

Many women find that the heel-Many women are making use of less shoes for wear on the beach or the new folding clothes hangers for picnies are very tiring and cause the feet to ache after a short time. for travelling purposes, and use-The new shoes of ennyas, with ful little leather cases may now thick cork soles, do away with be obtained for containing these this trouble for they have low cork base of each piece and reaching are fitted into slots at the back of necessities. The cases, square in heels attached to the back. The shape, will, hold six folding shoes are reminiscent of mules, for designed on modern lines, with pouch, which contains also the hangers of enamelled wood, and a they are cut away in the centre of Theels at the back.

Easy, Freckles!

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS.



- 1 You are "in a pet, Tim." Don't be in such a hurry, lad (anag.). 5 I stand, in a way, behind it in
- a recognized place. 8 Here is a case in which part of a circle is involved, and a dead body is concerned.
- 10 The cut of this vegetable suggests a tailor's shop,
- II Developed to the utmost in a
- 12 Apprehensions due to a serf. 13 Bob it for a horse,
- with art. 17 What a devil!

16 Simple and natural, and still less

- 18 May be pulled for preferment, or sent over them.
- 20 Guin. 22 You will find this nasty old Roman sheltering near the mouth
- of the Thames. 23 One certainly does get sick of
- this fish before it's finished. 24 The doctor winds up voiceless. 28 Take a journey by permission
- for one of three. 29 This licence may be extended to
- almost anyone. 30 Put a rope through a hole and leave the steward where he is,
- 31 Place a precious stone beyond the beds. This is quite an artful scheme.

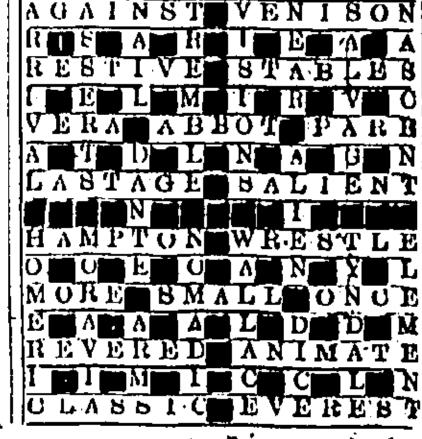
- I Contract. 2 It runs over the bridge and is in a temper about quite a small
- 3 Not venomous, whatever Shakespeare may say.
- 4 Though entirely a matter of red tape, it does come to the point eventually.
- 5 Getting the bird's rather a 6 "Did this bottle-hair-oil, mum-

gum," "I wendered why I couldn't take my cap off." 7 Though not necessarily servile, there is something distinctly

flexible about this humble peti-

- 9 Seven makes this smooth. 14 He may be a gener at any time
- -not fair at all. 15 Am facing an object to alter for
- the better. 16 Think of carpets. 18 Sensible persons do not second
- the first, no matter how threatening it is. 19 Fairles. 20 Conducted beyond a certain de-
- gree, as when water is taken 21 Crimp to which the blackbird is
- 25 Indian lady of high rank. 26 There's nothing in the beer to
- make it so bitter. 27 Fatal to Irishmen, though Scotsmen walk in the middle of it unharmed.

Yesterday's Solution.



NOTED FILM STAR LEAVES.

RICHARD BARTHELMESS LIKES HONGKONG.

"I feel a little homesick at leav- will-return - to - Hollywood - via ing Hongkong, after the delightful week we have spent here," said Hongkong" he said, "perhaps when Mr. Richard Barthelmess. noted it's not so cold, or when there's no film star, when interviewed on board the steamer D'Artagnan, here. Repulse Bay we consider prior to his departure yesterday especially delightful. We went to for Saigon. "Hongkong is truly Canton during the week-end and

have been wonderful to us." Mr. Barthelmess, who is one of again with Warner Brothers, the leading motion picture stars in otherwise I'm afraid we wouldn't Hollywood, has been spending a be leaving Hongkong for a while holiday in Hongkong for the past yet."

week, with his charming wife, the former Miss Jessica Sargent, of New York society. He left yesterday afternoon by the M.M. liner D'Artagnan for Saigon. From Saigon, Mr. and Mrs. Barthelmess will motor to Bangkok, and after spending a short holiday in Siam.

war on at . Shanghai: We have both really had a wonderful time lalso found it very interesting. must be back in Hollywood by April to commence production

"Some day I'm coming back to

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TRAVELLING CLOTHES

HANGERS.

WELL MEK AN MILLIE WERE TALKIN' ABOUT A CUTE GIRL YESTERDAY AN'

NO, I DONT.

AN BESIDES, I DON'T GO

By Blosser

ME FALL FOR SOME GIRL? HOHO... DON'T SAY! I HOPE YOU MAKE ME LAUGH NO GIRL IS AINT GONNA MAKE GOING TO GET A TUMBLE FROM. A BISBY OUT OF ME! ... BUT, GRE! I WOULD YOURSELF AN LIKE TO KNOW FALL FOR A

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BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE ON MANCHURIA.

Although the Manchurian issue has faded somewhat into the background since the grave developments broke out in Shanghai, it is one which still remains to be faced. Let it not be forgotten that it was Japan's action in this territory which led to the arousing of Chinese national feeling and which has since developed into the crisis in Shanghai. The League Commission of Inquiry into the origin of the trouble has at long last arrived in the East, only to find a vastly different situation from that which existed at the time it was appointed. A new State has been wreated, thus apparently severing the link with China. The full extent of Japan's connexion with this development has not been revealed as yet, but enough is known to warrant our fregarding this newly-created organ as something vitally different from these recurring independence movements, with which we have become familiar in recent years.

The British official attitude on Manchurian developments may be quite correct in some senses. since, as a member of the League. Britain must regard the issue as being sub judice for the time being. None the less, there does appear to be a strange willingness on the part of the Government to accept all Japan's assurances, even when these are belied by actions. But while Britain has her obligations as a member of the League, she lis also a signatory to the Nine-Power Trenty, which gunrantees respect for China's territorial integrity. Captain Eden, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in commenting on this fact in the House of Commons on Monday, arserted that the British Government is certainly not prepared to see the terms of the Treaty Souted, adding that in face of Japan's ansurances, he did not see any re :son for assuming that anything of the kind is likely. In view of of educated persons furnish the what has transpired in Manchuria. this implicit faith in Japan's ansurances can only be described as vion with the passing fashions, surprising. There is no question but, since the printed expression here of awaiting the League Com- is a comparatively enduring thing, mission's report, since the League, the speech of lands where, like

as such, has nothing whatever to do with the Nine-Power Treaty. We have, on a previous occasion, pointed out that there are no "if, or "buts" about the provisions ? this Treaty, nothing which can excuse any of the contracting parties for taking aggressive action for defensive purposes. The pledge which Japan gave under the Trenty, in common with the other signatories, is quite unambiguous. It is to respect "the sovereignty, independence and territorial and administrative independence of China." When Japan invaded the territory of Manchuria some months back, she obviously did so in contravention of that pledge. The fact that she has, on several occasions since then, declared that she has no territorial ambitions and does not intend to interfere either with the principles of the Open Door or with the provisions of the Nine. Power Trenty, is neither here nor there. The vital point is that the pledge has been broken. No mei re-affirmation of her pledges can change that fact; nor do we need Blanket, of the s.s. Tjibadak, states any, Commission of Inquiry to

establish the point. If surprise be occasioned over the British Government's attitude on this point, it is equally difficult to understand the viewpoint taken over the creation of the new State in Manchuria. We are told by Government spokesmen that Japan is no more likely to recognise this new State than any other Power is. Surely this is not meant to be seriously taken. The change in Manchuria has long been foresen as part and parcel of Japan's planthere. It is, as we remarked in lopening, something quite distinct from those periodical "splits" which have characterized China's history in the past two or three decades. A puppet Governmen very much in the picture, and it will be surprising if the League Commission does not get to the bottom of the facts. In any case, tory before it acquired its new status represented a breach of her undertakings under the Ninc-Power Treaty. The same can be said of her later actions at Shanghai. In reading the daily tale of happenings, it is well that we should occasionally get back to first causes.

The American and English Languages.

The London Times in an extract from one of its issues of a hundred years ago, recently drew attention to the fact that it is just about a century ago that-American influence upon British speech first became noticeable. And very unpopular that influence seems to have been! Mrs. Trollope remarked superciliously that the difference between English and American phrases was so great that Americans were convinced the English could not speak thei; own language properly. This, of course, was a little foolish. One of the main factors in the streng' and expressiveness of English speech is the facility with which it has always been ready to absort new idioms, phrases, words, and locutions. In submitting to some degree of modification from across the Atlantic it was only being true to its own traditions. Moreover, it is well known that many incportations into modern British speech, supposedly characteristically American, are in reality merely restorations in former English usage. "I guess" is good Chaucerian English, Similarly regarding the earliest known Americanism in the English language In 1826 Miss Mitford wrote that "Society has been progressing (if I may borrow that expressive Americanism) at a very rapid rate. The use of "progress" as a verb

was quite common in England in the sixteenth century, and even later; and, thanks to American influence, has again become so. This transatlantic restoration of old words and expressions that Britain has herself forgotten is made possible by the fact that in the United States the printed form In a much more important criterion of correctness than it is in England, where the constantly varying pronounciation and usage chief standard of speech. Thus in Britain words drop into obli-

THE PROSPERITY OF ENGLAND MAINLY DEPENDS UPON ITS RELA-TIONS WITH AMERICA, AND IN PRO-PORTION AS THE ENERGIES OF AMERICA ARE DEVELOPED AND HER RESOURCES STRENGTHENED, WILL LAND BE CONFIRMED AND INCREAS-ED .- Disracli.

Shanghal, is due here at 6 a.m. on

H.M.S. Vindictive has left Plymouth for Hongkong, carrying naval reliefs for the China Station.

The Empress of Asia left Vancouver on the 27th February and is due at Hongkong on the 17th March.

The annual general meeting of the Victoria Diocesan and Missionary Bant. Association, Hongkong, will be held March 4, at 5.15 p.m.

that during Monday night some per non ransacked his cabin whilst the ship was in harbour, but nothing was stolen or damaged.

Exchange Building, on March 31, next at noon. the Chun Shing Typewriting School of lifelong and loyal friendships to serve and help him, to try to the Chun shing typewriting school were instantly hurled at his head, save him from his own follies, yet will be held in the hall of the Hop were instantly hurled at his head. save him from his own follies, yet

Japan's occupation of the terri- Shanghai Banking Corporation, who should get let down all right in fore unworthy, to play the part of with net personalty £39,150.

> THE LATEST CABLED. QUOTATIONS.

of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pen-

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DAY BY DAV

THE POWER AND PROSPERITY OF ENG- friends, to hear the above opinion

The P. and O. s.s. Soudan, from

at the Cathedral Hall on Friday, In a report to the police, Capt. J. J.

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Sai yu will distribute the awards.

husband. Wong Tong, a married cial standpoint. woman, of 12, Pokfulam Road, first floor, was removed to the Government

London branch, of the Hongkong and ment had not yet dawned. I picious, selfish—unwilling, theredied on December 1, aged -62, left the end estate of the gross value of £80,014,1

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the United States, it exercises and influence, upon—conversation has in this respect an element of permanence that English English sometimes lacks.

IS FRIENDSHIP By MARGERY SELFISH?

"No such thing as friendship." _ | . . . then I marvel at and pity voiced by one of the men-a mid- of my heart that the poor fool that dle-aged, hard-riding, well-bred, not-too-intelligent but eminently typical squireen of the district.

asked him to explain himself, thinking that he was merely joking, but he emphasised his statement and assured me he was positive it was correct.

"Friendship," he said, "is merely a figment of the imagination. Friendship—the sort of friendship people like you novelists describe -simply does not exist, and you ought not to write about it in so exaggerated a fashion. Acquaintanceship-yes, amusing or plca-

"Never Trust Anybody."

"There is love in the world, of shion-but all human relation- existent are themselves unfit to ships are more or less self-seeking. have a friend. The highfalutin, disinterested, un selfish sort of friendship that wal sacrifice itself for another person mentalists' imagination.

day, March 4th., at 7 p.m. Mr. Ho all these were merely associations disregards your advice.

Sir Newton John Stabb, O.B.E., of sured me that I was merely lucky friends in the world. in that the day of my disillusion- But show me anyone mean, sus-

> point of view astounded me-does not know what friendship is, on making in- and never will know. quiries among various other Friendship an illusion? It is acquaintances of mine, I discover- the very foundation of truth, on ed that this view was held by the contrary, and I believe lies at quite a number of people, my as- the root of all lasting and selfices tonishment increased still further, loves. I believe that the most

> always, as one goes through life, man and woman is the facet of liable to be "let down" by various friendship-far and away above people whom one regards as the magical facet of passion, beaufriends, but against that one must tiful and right as this is in its set the fact that one has doubtless proper place . . . which I do not likewise "let down" people in one's believe to be an all-supreme one, own turn.

Loyalty.

Life is such a tangled skein that all sorts of things seem sometimes to combine to force one into unbe an innocent explanation for the various disillusionments that, in September 1932 1.02 down 4 pts. I have suffered at times over certain people I once regarded friends, and left it at that.

But when I count up the fine and loyal and splendid friends I both men and women, none of whom stood to gain ary thing by their friendship with m. fection and consideration, than and who have, indeed, several of with a man whose main attraction them, suffered for that friendship

WAS startled, one day at lunch the frame of mind that dictatedin the country with some the pathetic statement that begins this article, and wish to the bottom made it could be led to realise his colossal mistake!

Naturally friendship-the fine. loyal, sterling reality—is not found easily nor frequently, any more than a diamon' miner finds the Koh-i-Nor ever, day, or even any diamonds at all . . . and further, to deserve real friends one must be prepared to be a real

friend oneself. I am tempted to ask my worthy hunting friend whether he himself deserves that priceless and wenderful possession-a real friend? People who deny the existence of unselfishness or kindness and loyalty in the world are, I have found, generally themselves selfish and unkind people—those—that course, and the association of have not found love are themselves people with similar tastes who unlovable, and those who declare like each other after a mild fa. such a thing as friendship non-

Suffer For It.

Therefore they do not find one. is simply a figment of you senti- And therein lies the reason for their cynicism, at which we who "Never trust anybody. All they know what friendship is can afwant you for is to make use of you. ford to smile. If you want and if you let them into your life friendship-as if you want lovego that they can you're a fool!' you must be prepared to suffer for This declaration was greeted it, if necessary! You must be The certificate and prize giving of with cries of dissent, and stories willing to back up your friends

between two people who had found To defend his good name, his the association worth while, either chances, his rights when he is not Said to have been assaulted by her from a business, personal, or so-there to defend himself; to share And when I triumphantly quot- fort him in bad, to forgive him his ed several friendships of my own trespasses against you as you Civil Hospital suffering from injuries that could not be described as seif- hope he forgives you yours—show has been set up, with Japan still to her head. The husband has since seeking, that had endured the test me a man or woman who will do of years and looked like enduring these things and I will wager many more, he smiled and as- they have the finest and truest

The profound cynicism of this that person's own fault that he

It is obviously true that one is valuable facet of the love between despite those that accuse "women novelists" of being obsessed by sex to the exclusion of all else!

Basis of Happiness.

If I had to drop one thing out fortunate positions, into actions or of the myriad things that interest speeches that may be and often me in the man I love I would drop are misconstrued . . . so I have the purely sexual-for this reason: always tried to think there might The man I love is important to me first and foremost as my friend it is easy enough to find a lover. common with the rest of humanity. but how difficult to find a friend! It is the friendship side of marriage. I believe, that is the most valuable . . . One is far more likely to spend a happy life with a person whose tastes, ways, ideas, suit one completely, upon whom one can utterly depend for loyalty, for af-

> is a purely passionate one. That is bound, after a while, to fade and flicker out-but a love based on the rock-foundation of mutual understanding, affection, friendship, merely waxes more solid and substantial with the years, until neither age, misfortune, nor death itself can make any difference to it.

BIG SHIPS GET THE TRAFFIC.

By E. F. SPANNER

"HOW did you cross?"

"Oh! in the-, of course. The very latest. Not everyone's taste, you know. But very moderne. And they've the biggest-".

Or again. "What boat are you taking this

time, old man?' "The-, I think. She's the last word, and they're sure to ask me the other side. I've always gone in the-before, and been very comfortable, too. But the crowd I'm seeing will expect me to be right up to date, and I can't miss anythat counts. Besides, makes something to talk about."

"How much time d'you save?" "Doesn't make much difference take it all round—from the time I start packing until I'm doing business the other side, I mean. Still, it saves enough to start the smart guys pulling my log if I don't take advantage of it."

Another conversation: (Continued on Page 8.)



"It certainly makes our lunch hour shorter to have to travel so far."

SHANGHAI SCEPTICAL ON PEACE PROSPECTS.

OPPOSES SIMULTANEOUS WITHDRAWAL.

The informal meetings which per hand over force." are being held on board H.M.S. Kent under the chairmanship of Admiral Kelly, which it is believed may pave the way to an ultimate settlement, have been terminated and the proposals evolved have been submitted to Tokyo and Nanking for the consideration of the parties concerned.

It is reliably reported that the Chinese attitude towards the proposals in that the mutual withdrawal of the Chinese and Japan ese troops is acceptable, provided) the neutral powers will guarantee, that the Japanese troops will not advance after the withdrawal. Shanghal at 4 p.m. from Nankin i. Sino-Japanese developments

will have the most favourable ef- to Sir John Simon. feet on any further discussions. nature. Reuter.

Chinese Doubt Japan.

Shanghal, Mar. 1, 3.8 p.m.

sire for peace. Japanese are only aiming to gain churia. Renter and British Wirea few days' breathing space while | less, they pour reinforcements into the

battlefield. The Sin Wen Pao is of the opinion that the desire for peace. credited to Tokyo, is belied by the Japanese threat to bomb the rai ways Renter.

--- "Jopan Disagrees.

New York, Mar. 1. ese Government is not prepared and the Japanese admit their to agree to the mutual and simul losses have been heavy in gaining taneous withdrawal of the Chin-five hundred metres, fighting ese and Japanese troops from every inch; while 712 Chinese Shanghal. Renter's American Ser- wounded passed into the Settle-

Gloomy Prospects.

Shanghai, March 1, 11.50 p.m. sources here confirm that Tokyo borders of the Settlement, which ten to the League offering to of the Depreciation provision of will not agree to a simultaneous is lighting up Shanghai with its win not agree to a smartaneous fierce light. Carnage unchecked Far East, Sir Eric Drummond Rungalows there situated, withdrawal of Chinese and Japan- fierce light. Carnage unchecked have a time. liminary to peace talks. They The Japanese Eleventh Divi- not constitutionally open for him will be observed that the item are still insisting, as a pre- sion has landed and is ready for to submit offers to Council, other liminary condition of peace, that operations against the Chinese the Chinese withdraw twenty left flank, and another division a State which is a member of the kilometres, and demolish the Woo- is coming. The Japanese war League,- Renter, sung forts.

ing to accept these now than be- slaught. Reuter. fore the big Japanese offensive began on February 20.

Mr. Quo Tai-chi, the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, interviewed by Reuter, said Japan's unwillingness to agree to a simultaneous withdrawal "shatters all hope of a peaceful settlement."-Reuter.

Hopes and Feurs.

London, Mar. 4. Hope, tinged with scenticism! characterises the British reaction, for the latest Shanghai developments. The man-in-the-street is: ese forces up to 45,000 troops. Chinese Christian Students' Move- Government are still proceeding, bewildered by reports of conflict- whith it is reported that the head. ing parallel peace negotiations at Geneva and Shanghai accompanied by preparations for a renewe-Japanese offensive.

The Times emphasizes that the Chinese stubbornness has not weakened the Japanese resolution to land the necessary troops to achieve her objective. It is therefore an error to regard the Japanese latest proposals as bluff, steamer Tencho Maru, flying They might perhaps be so described if Tokyo insisted purely on arrived yesterday at Tangku a Sino-Japanese settlement. they have invited the collabora- of military stores, including field tion of all the Powers concerned guns, shells, machin guns and in the Far East. The Times urges rifles. every party to contribute utmost to a settlement, and says it is not the desire of Britain to claim any particular precedence in the settlement, but there is not the slightest support for the "nusillanimous" counsel of M Lansbury to withdraw her forces and evacuate her nationals.

Plen for Geneva:

attempt a settlement "not by in- been quiet .- Reuter. sistence upon national interests, nor yet by their abdication, but by reconciliation of the interests of be under general direction from ers and with the Council of the be necessary, and it is important about a and declarage that mist. Powers are being informed of the presented, be adopted, and that

become too dispersed. "Geneva provides the obvious tions with the Republic of China. day in new inve-coloured carried into elect:—Eay a final clearing house, and the President of the Council yesterday laid ciples of Tan will be followed by the advent of the new \$60,000: transfer to General Renegoniations, which seem adher the mirably suited to rally all the elements making for peace. The most encouraging symptom of the last two days is that dip-

Shanghai, Mar. 1, 3.8 p.m. | lomney seems to be getting the up-

Lord Cecil's Views.

Lord Cecil in a letter to the Times says he is unable to withdraw, in response to criticisms, anything from his letter to the Times of February 18, which he signed with others, because the quality, without a subsidy from peace, and this policy has already the Exchequer and without encost not only thousands of lives but has increased the economic cultivation to land unsuitable difficulties of the world.

France and America.

Official circles in Paris and Washington are delighted at the Sir Miles Lampson, the British Japanese policy is a serious blow, Minister to China, is due in to the collective maintenance of and it is hoped that his influence Geneva, much credit being given

A Washington message points which hitherto, have been only of out that Sir John Simon initiated a very informal and preliminary the armistice movement. He has several times in the past three days been in touch with Mr. Stim-

It is considered in Washington, The leading Chinese newspapers however, that peace is not yet certhis morning express doubts as to tain, especially in the face of the the sincerity of the Japanese des oft-repeated decision of Nanking to send a punitive expedition The Shun Pao suspects that the against the new state in Man-

Big Clash Coming.

Shanghal, March 1, 11.50 p.m. While Geneva is talking of peace in the Far East, the war is profine on as strongly as ever here. and it appears nothing is less. likely than an early cessation of , hostilities,

1 Fierce fighting is going on all It is announced that the Japan-Iday long on the Kiangwan front, ment to-day, and undoubtedly as many still lie on the battlefield.

Chapei was comparatively quiet. but Japanese shelling caused Reports' from authoritative fremendous fire just outside the

machine appears to be gathering The Chinese are no more will- strength for a tremendous on-

Japan's Forces.

Shanghai, March 1, 3.8 p.m. General Uyeda at 1 p.m. to-day. The Headquarters, a Japanese Powers. cotton mill, are situated just out-

It is estimated that the arrival join the movement. of the Eleventh Division now brings the strength of the Japanwhile it is expected that the landwithin the next twenty-four hours will swell the total to 60,000 troops.--Reuter.

Tientsin Fears.

Tientsin, March I. It has been authoritatively - Japanese learned : Japanese military flag. from Dairen with large quantities

It is stated that the stores will be brought up to the Japanese concession at Tientsin to-day or to-

It is also learned that corrugated from barracks, capable of accommodating a considerable numher of troops, are being erected by the Japanese military forces at

Tangku, at the river mouth. The Chinese have proclaimed a past few days.—Reuter. state of martial law at Tangku, The parties concerned should where hitherto everything has

The New State.

Mukden, Mar. 1.

that the negotiations should not the will of thirty million people A New Fing. of ciples of Tao will be followed by Tatung (great unity) era.

HIGHER PRICES FOR WHEAT.

BREAD "MAY NOT COST MORE!"

London, Mar. L. A further important measure designed to improve the condition of argiculture was considered in the House of Commons to-day when the Minister for Agriculture, Sir John Gilmour, introduced the Wheat Quoto Bill, the object of which is to provide wheat-growers within the United Kingdom with a secure market and enhanced price for home-grown wheat of millable | cournging the extension of wheat

Referring to the standard price, Sir John Gilmour said it was intended that every registered wheat grower in the Kingdom should be entitled to receive, at the end of each cereal year, a so-called deficiency payment, which would represent the difference reckoned in the growers' certified sales between the ascertained average of home-grown millable wheat and the standard price of ten shillings a hundredweight. which was the equivalent of fortyfive shillings per quarter 504 pounds.

The Bill contained a provision for a review of the position in three years, A limit of six million quarters would be imposed in respect of which the deficiency payment would be made in any

The Government did not anticiincrease in bread prices as a result this recommendation will meet pate any permanent or general of the Bill. British Wireless.

MAUDE ROYDEN'S PEACE ARMY.

SIR ERIC DRUMMOND UNABLE TO HELP.

Geneva, Mar. L. evinced by Miss Maude Royden, amounting to \$2,700 only, whilst the Rev. Dick Sheppard and the In addition to the maintenance ex-I many volunteers who have writ- | penses incurred the major portion

Approaching Government.

reply. Miss Royden now intends to request the British Govern-General Shirakawa, who has ment to bring the Peace Army' been directing the disembarkation offer officially before the League. of the eleventh Japanese Division | Miss Royden said that if the Briat Shanghai, arrived at the Head- | tish Government | declines | they quarters formerly occupied by will approach some other government, probably one of the smaller

They were endeavouring. Miss side the most easterly limits of the | Royden said, to get the Japanese Christian evangelist, Kagawa, to last year, I regret my inability, at

Six Hundred Volunteers. ment, has cabled from America About six hundred people. cluding numbers of ex-Service men have already volunteered. Renter.

CHINESE RETREAT.

(Continued from Page 1).

Consequently, when the Japanese infantry were launched upon a general offensive, following an intensive bombardment of the vacated positions, they encountered no opposition and are now steadily advancing on the village of Tazang.

DEMORALISED?

The Japanese declare that the retreating Chinese troops have been utterly demoralised by the intensive Japanese hombardments of the

The teachings of Confucius and principles of Wantao are to be rel apected.

The Foreign Policy. all. The main negotiations must Official translations of the pro- Foreign policy will seek to pro- pany is engaged. clamation of a new Manchuria, mote cordial relations between There being no further matters Geneya, where the Chinese and as adopted yesterday by the dele- Manchuria and foreign countries. appearing to call for comment I Japanese representatives are in gates from all over Manchuria and All debts and obligations under now formally propose that the contact with the responsible Mongolia, were issued to the press investments will be met. Foreign Report of the Directors and the interested Powto-day. It refers to the "disastrous effects It is officially stated that the ended 31st December, 1931, as

REALTY COMPANY MEETING.

REPULSE BAY SCHEME POSITION.

HOPES FOR 1933.

Presiding at the annual general meeting of the Hongkong Realty and Trust Co., Ltd., held at noon to-day, Mr. E. M. Raymond that negotiations are proceeding with the Government in regard to the Repulse Bay development scheme. and, il brought to a satisfactory conclusion, the Company hopes to provide the amenities for the summer season of 1933.

It was announced that as the Company's business is purely that of an investment trust company, it is intended to confine dividend payments in future to yearly distributions.

Chairman's Speech.

The Chairman, after having read the auditors' report, said:-The profit for the year under review, including the sum of \$12,-267,95 brought forward from the preceding year, after providing \$8,891,25 for depreciation, amount ed to \$182,697.52. The interim dividend of \$60,000 paid on the 1st September, 1931, reduces the profit available for appropriation to \$122,697.52, which your Directors recommend apportioning as follows: To pay a final dividend of 30 cents per share, \$60,000; to transfer to General Reserve. \$50,000; to carry forward to New Account, \$12,697.52; and I trust

with your approval. You will note from a persual of the Profit and Loss Account that almost the whole of the revenue during the year under review was derived as a result of the operations of the Company within the aphere of its envestment trust business; in the circumstances. the profit for the year of \$170,-429.57, the highest in the history of the Company, can, I venture to think, be regarded as satisfactory. The Repulse Bay pro-Expressing his admiration for perties remained unproductive. he devotion to the cause of peace | revenue in the course of the year

Turning to balance sheet Building" has been eliminated, the amount of \$650,000 having been retired during September. 1931. Investments at cost, namely, \$2,338,418,06, show a considerable increase over the figure In view of Sir Eric Drummond's recorded in the previous year's to report that, despite the decline in the values of local market securities experienced in the autumn of last year, the market quotations on the 31st December, 1931 shewed an accretion upon the book

Repulse Bay Scheme. With reference to the projected development at Repulse Bay as outlined in the Chairman's speech the moment, to furnish shareholders with definite information Mr. Z. T. Koo, secretary of the thereon; negotiations with the and in the event of these being ing of the Fourteenth Division offering to join the Peace Army, brought to a satisfactory conclusion, it is anticipated that the [Company will be in a position to proceed with the necessary work in order to have the required amonities available for the sum-

mer season of 1933. Before concluding my remarks, I am desirous of making reference to the matter of dividends in respect of which, your Board, having regard to the altered status under which the Company is at present operating, the business conducted being purely that of an Investment Trust Company, have decided to abandon the Bolicy of distributing interim dividends. It is felt that whereas profits might be satisfactory in the first half of any one year, there would exist, per contra, the possibility of securitles depreciating to such an extent in the second part of the same financial year as to render necessary the utilisation of any accrued credit balance. Accordingly, it is intended, in future, to confine payments as regarded dividends to annual distributions, a policy with which, I am confident, shareholders will be in complete accord having regard to the nature of the business in which the Com-

the following appropriations recommended by your Directors be ecome too dispersed.
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7.00-10.30 p.m. European Programme of Victor Records. 7.00 p.m. Mail Notice, etc. 7.03-7.35 p.m.

Rosenkavaller (Richard Strauss).

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ducted by Richard Strauss. Ω280-9283. 7.35-7.56 p.m. A Selection of New Fox Trota.

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Orchestra, 22858. Two Loves. An Evining in Caroline. Ted Black and His Orchestra. 22872. 8.00 p.m. (Local Time and Weather Report).

7.56-8.25 p.m. Orchestral. Apacho Danco (Offenbach). La Golondrinn (The Swallow) (Serradell).

Victor Salon Orchestra. 21055. Pomp and Circumstance (Elgar). Royal Albert Hall Orchestra. 9016 Finlandia (Sibellum). Royal Albert Hall Orchestra. 9015.

An American in Paris' (George Gershwin). Victor Symphony Orchestra with George Gerahwin, 35963-35964.

8.25-8.43 p.m.

8.43-9.30 p.m. A Concert, Violin Solo-Solo-Humoresque (Tschnikowsky-Kreisler). Violin Solo-Albumblatt-Marquerite (Rachmaninoff-Kreisler).

Fritz Kreisler, 1170. Song A Dream (Cory-Bartlett). Enrico Caruso (Tenor). 507 Plano Solo-Fantaisie-Impromptu (Chopin). Plano Solo-Caprice (Gluck-Saint-

Harold Bauer, 6546. Song-Oh Could I But Express in Song (Malashkin). Feodor Chaliapin (Bass). 1365 Violin Solo-Dance of the Maidens

(Friml-Kreisler). Violin Solo-Blue Skies (Berlin-Fritz Kreisler. 1233. Song-Clair de Lune (Moonlight) (Szulc). Song-Swing Low Sweet Chariot

(arr. Burleigh). Dame Nellie Melbn (Soprano), 6733. Piano Solo-The Engulfed Cathedral (Debussy). Piano Solo-Malaguena (Lecuona). Olga Samaroff. 7304.

9,30-9,40 p.m. An Announcement by Dr. Radio of the Radio Service Station. 9.40-10.07 p.m. Concert Waltzes. Gypsy Souvenir (arr. Schaeffer-

Hungarian Flower (Schneffer-Pacpke). Hungarian Rhapsody Orch. 35929.

Blue Danube Waltz (Johann Strauss). Josef Lhevinne (Planist). 6840. Voices of Spring (Johann Strauss).

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Hilo Hula. Mokihana. Kane's Hawaiian. 21762. Blue Waters. Under The Stars of Havana.

Hilo Hawalian Orchestra. 21822. 10.19-10.30 p.m. London Board of Trade Letters, and Rugby Press News. 10.30 p.m. Close Down. All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs, Tsang Fook Piano Co.

EXCHANGE MARKET LIFELESS.

NO CHANGE IN THE DOLLAR.

Conditions on the local exchange market remain unaltered, with practically nothing doing. The dollar is unchanged.

In London, silver was unchanged for spot and up 1/16th forward. China bought and sole on a market which was quietly steady. After the official fixing, the market remained quietly steady, with America more inclined to buy than sell.

New Yorw reports silver down 1/8th, on a steady market. Futures are down half a point, with the market easy. The N.Y.K. Yashuni Maru, from London via ports, will arrive at

Hongkong on Thursday at daybreak,

and not on Wednesday, as was Members of the St. Patrick's Sothe 4th, 11th and 14th inst.

totalled 2.75 inches. There were in morning on the charge of receiv- A formal remand of a week was l all eighteen rainless days.

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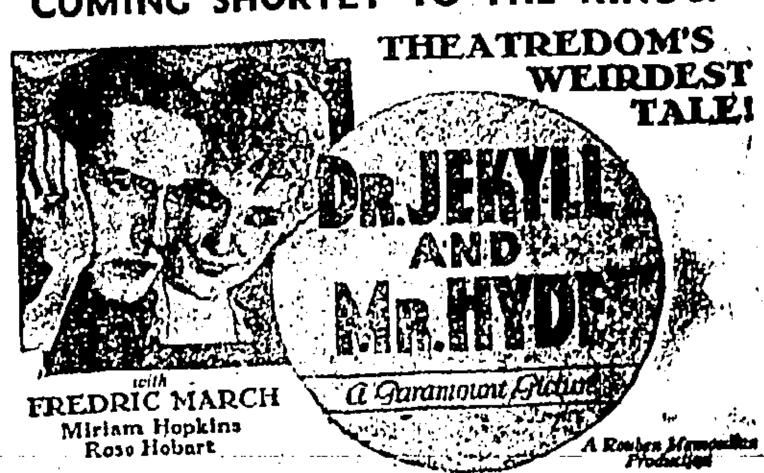
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robbery at No. 228, Woosung cases taken, together. There was clety and friends are invited to attend the practice dances which are to be held at the Helena May Institute on the 4th, 11th and 14th inst. No fewer than 10 people were and, he added, the police might ask The rainfall registered at the brought before Mr. Fraser at His Worship to have them all com-Botanic Gardens during February the Kowloon Magistracy this mitted. ing stolen property.

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EXTRA RACE MEETING. TRAFFIC.

HEAVY ENTRIES RECEIVED BY JOCKEY CLUB.

The handleaps and distribution of weights for the First Extra Race Meeting which will be contested at the coming Saturday in Happy Valley will be found printed in full below:

The "Hay and Corn" Stakes; five furlongs: Amoy, 152; Banjolina, 161; Bay of Bellingham II, 152; Celerity, 152; City of Shanghai, 166; "The—. I'd love to be going in the state of the

Dan'l Whiddon, 152; De Bene, 155; Diplodocus, 158; Espy, 155; Estrellita, 155; Fighting, Blood, 158; Friar John, 155; Gallant Fox, 158; Gamester, 158; Ghost Train, 158; Gold Bar, 152; Gold Cup 155; Good Day, 146; Highjinks, 155; Ilirwego, 155; Huggo, 155; Jimmy, 149; Jupiter, 158; Kanpaz, 155; Lucky Bird, 158; Malakit, 152; Movie Star, 149; Mun Ko Pao, 159; Ochterlony, 149; Romeo, 158; Serappit, 149; Sonny Boy, 149; Speedy, 155; Sunbeau, 152; Tango, 149; Television, 152; The Rainstorm, 158; The Slump, 158; Rainstorm, 158; The Slump, 158; "I dare say. That cruise I had Trigo, 152; Until Then, 155; Valley Hall, 155; Vim. 161; White Label. made me enjoy the sea. All the Hall, 155; Vim. 161; White Label.

Amos, 155; Bluelove, 158; Bowery the biggest, and fastest, liner. Bay, 161; Christmas Joy, 161; Coquine, 158; Darkest Eve, 161; Deveron, 161; Don, 155; Festival Eve,

Boxing Eve, 152; Cebu, 140; Christ-mas Belle, 152; Coronation Eve, 158; ships—the fastest vessels now Crown Prince, 156; Eros, 158; Fritil- crossing the Atlantic. lery, 158; Gold Key, 152; Imperial Hall, 152; King's Colour, 165; King's Counsel, 152; King's Norton, 161; what it is, the travelling public King's Parade, 158; King's Service, will manifest an inclination to 158; Marquis Hall, 152; Nippy, 158; travel by the largest or the fastest Paul Pry, 168; Peppermint, 155; ships which are available. People Royal Flush, 149; Sanction, 155; San Hefinitely prefer, as individuals and in the mass, to choose as their Tiger, 155; Tiana, 156; Toby, 158; Tom, 152; Valorous, 155; White Jude of transport one which will give them some return apart of Stng. 161; Wonderful Stng. 152. The Randwick Plate, one mile: together from that of simply Anniversary Eve, 149; Gold Rush, carrying them comfortably and

Quan, 145; Cy-pres, 165; Dan'l Whid-don, 140; Espy, 140; Ghost Train. 144; Gold Bar, 146; Golden Arrow, people. 150; Helter Skelter, 147; Highlinks, 140; Jimmy, 140; Little Gem, 148; Mistletoe, 140; Much Ado, 140; Path-158; The Rainstorm, 146; Valley Hall,

Then, 155; Valeta, 161; Vim, 161.

153; Fortune Bay, 147; Gay Crusader, take time in preparation.

155; Glenengles, 165; Gold Key, 140; Hetman, 158; King's Bounty, 158; King's Bounty, 158; King's Justice, 148; Tiana, 140; Than merely the necessity of stick-lyalorous, 140; Wild Life, 148; Weyling a stamp on himself at the last

144 miles: Ajax, 140; Eros, transit are really of fittle account 165; King's Parade, 153; Darkest Eve, 156; Peppermint, 165; Punch, 140; Royal Flish, 165; The Tiger, 165; White Jade Stag, 146; Workable Stag, 146; Company, by the policy to which 161; Michael Guy, 140; Lobster Bay, 158; Toby, 140; Sanction, 151; Orlando, 158; Imperial Hall, 151; Christmas Joy, 147; Lando, 158; Imperial Hall, 151; Christmas Joy, 147; Esculado, 140; Fi Fa, 140; African Eve, 145; Devon, 140; Morning Star, 149; Chivalrous, 154.

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- So long as humañ nature 🥬 give them some return apart al-149; Jonquin, 152; Manna, 152; Mer-safely from one place to another, maid, 152; Retha, 152; Senorita, 152; They want their passage money. The Rainbow, 152; The Widereon.

The Rainbow, 152; The Widegeon, to deciare a dividend in the shape The Tytam Handicap, A Class, 1 of providing topics for small tals. mile: Amon, 150; Amoy, 140; Ban- opportunities for discreet boastjolina, 168; Buchanan, 160; Chiu ing, and ammunition for use in Canton, engaged G. Bodiker on the

The three liners which at present cater for Transatlantic pas- E. C. Fincher and M. W. Lo in the sengers in competition with the Interport contest, has also won the Bremen and Europa are fine ships. Canton's Singles Championship. It finder, 158; Philanderer, 158; Siwash, Bremen and Europa are fine ships, as comfortable and as personally The Tytam Randicap, B Class, convenient as any that are ever and Handicap Men's Singles titles 1 mile: Diplodocus, 158; Friar likely to be placed in service, and the Open Doubles title with C. E. John, 155; Gallant Fox, 158; Gny Fox, They are not quite so fast as the Watson in the Shameen Champion-152; Gee Gee, 152; Hirwego, 155; Breman and Europa, but, so far es ships.
Huggo, 155; Jupiter, 158; Mausie,
152; Prospero, 155; Public Money,
158; Somerset, 158; The Crook, 158;
according to these two Corman ships facts. The Shekpan, 149; Trigo, 152; Until saved by these two German ships amounts to very little, when con-

bridge, 140; Nippy, 140; Mike, 140; minute and dropping himself into Wisdom Stag, 140; Wonderful Stag, in traction. The fore hours which n postbox. The few hours which The Hongkong Handicap, B Class, may be of importance in smail miles: Ajax, 140; Eros, transit are really of little account

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The Randwick Plate (Second Section) one mile: But After That, 155; The completion and putting incomplete the completion and putting incomplete the complete that the complete the complete that fastest liner, with the biggestand so on. The completion of the sister ship to No. 524 would have tion of their programme. theregive the Cunard Company, with fore; the Cunard Company would those two ships, the speed and have garnered both prestige and capacity required to enable them profit to cope with the traffic now eater. These big ships appear to be a

TENNIS TOURNEY.

SEVERAL TIES DECIDED YESTERDAY.

Only one match in the open singles championship was played yesterday, when Y. V. Segalen and Iu Tak-lam settled their delayed first-round en-counter. In won after a match which went the full distance, the scores being 2-6, 6-3, 6-2 in his favour.

The remainder of the programme was devoted to contests in the Hong-kong Cricket Club Championship, several ties in the first round being

The results were: Open Singles.

Iu Tak-lam beat Y. V. Segalon 2-6, Club Championship.

D. B. Evans beat V. R. Gordon 6-3, S. E. Green bent A. C. I. Bowker, F. A. Redmond beat A. H. McBride,

A. D. Humphreys Bent W. M Barton, 6-2, 6-3. L. Forster best L. M. S. Lloyd, w.o. A. B. Raworth bent C. C. Stark 4-6,

J. J. Waite bent Scull 6-2, 6-1, TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

Open Singles. R. B. Hambly v W. C. Hung.

Honda v H. Lukring. Open Doubles. Gray and Wirth v Zimmern and

Grose and Choa v Ho and Yew. Sai and Kwok v Tsui and Tsui. H. Lo and Iu v MacDougall and

Lecky and Waite v Cassumbhoy and Rumjahn and Rumjahn v Wong

Club Championship. J. J. Barrow v R. R. Todd.

"SIRDAR'S" BRILLIANCE

DEFEATS BODIKER IN STRAIGHT SETS.

Making the trip to Canton again on Sunday last, S. A. ("Sirdar") Rumjahn, who only the previous Sunday defeated Leung Tak-kwong in

Bodiker, besides having beaten both was only last week that he scored a distinct triumph by winning the Open

Sirdar's victory is, therefore, a very meritorious one in view of these facts. He won by 6/4, 6/3, 9/7. Both players indulged in flerce driving Then, 155; Valeta, 161; Vim, 161, amounts to very little, when con-from the baseline, but Sirdar was the The Hongkong Handicap, A Class, sideration is taken of the fact that steadier of the two. He won the 14 miles: Boxing Eve, 140; before crossing the Atlantic the first two sets rather easily, but Coronation Eve, 156; Cyclamen Bay, ordinary passenger and need to Bodiker offered a stubborn resistance in the last set which was a ding-dong struggle for mastery, each player holding the lead alternately.

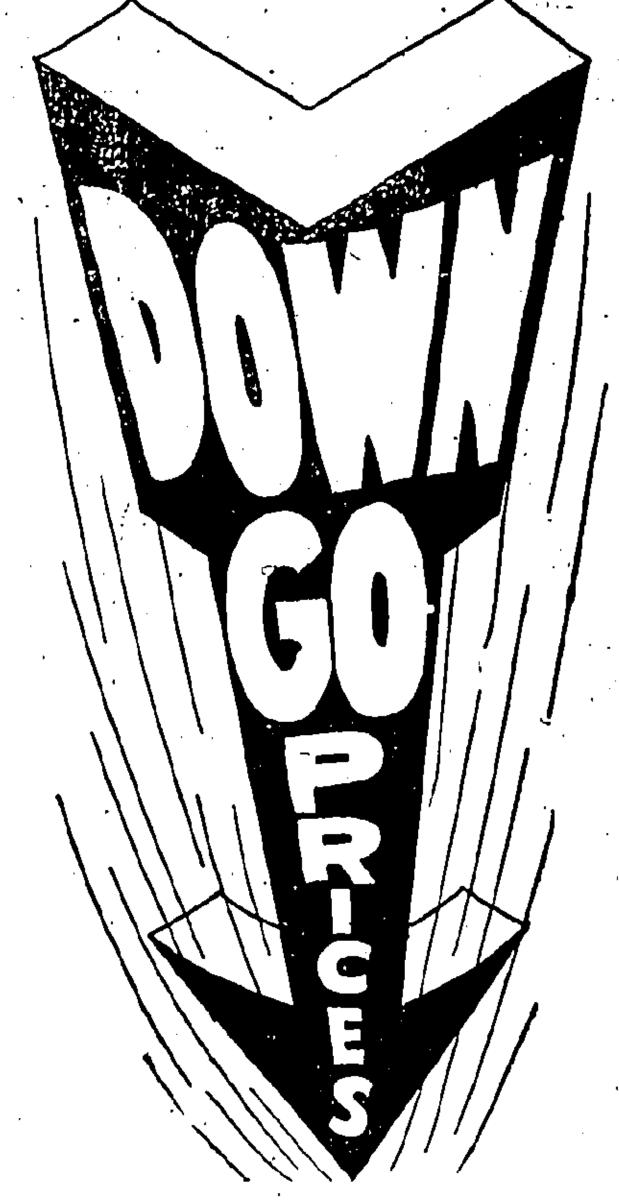
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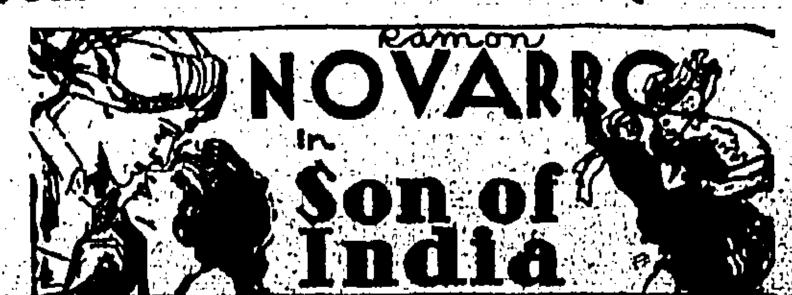
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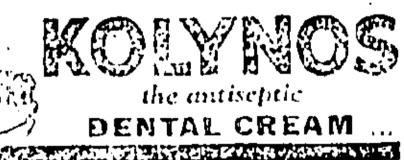
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At linet it was to Ruth Chatterton when she reported to the Paramount Hollywood hendquarters assigned to film her new drama "Once A Lady," which the King's Theatre will show tomorrow.

The troups supporting Miss Chatter. ton in this new Zoe Akins' adaptation had been divided into three units, and the units were occupied simultaneously with episodes at the studio. at a ranch, and at a garden spot near Pasadena.

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Miss Chatterton first appeared in scenes with Ivor Novello. It was a set reproducing a suite in a Paris

At 11 o'clock she changed costumes and was driven to Passadena for exteriors of an English country home, In scenes with Geoffrey Kerr, who had been working with extras and at morpheric players before she arrived. In the middle of the afternoon the star joined another unit of her trouble at the Paramount ranch, where seenes in rural France were being film d M. Chatterton again chang d cos Conversion to riable dressing room and event through the experience of having gone from Paris to the English countryside and back to France in a few

"The Silver Horde."

Plorida, Syracuse, New York, Lon. don, all, in turn, claimed Excisi-Prent, but Hollyword put in the list claim and there she has attain if Success By B screen detries. Her latest and must outstanding success is a Cherry Malotte in "The Silver Horde" Radio Pictures' all

talking ser on version of Rex Beach' opic of the North which is coming to-morrow to the Queen's Theatre. Miss Brent was born in Florida, but she was moved to Syrncuse, N.Y., at an early age. There she attended school and acquired an ambition to become a school teacher. There was nothing in her early life to indicate that some day she would be recognized as one of the world's foremost

dramatic actresses. School plays bored her, sn. says. Amateur thentricals of any kind falled to attract her attention. Later she attended a teachers' college in New York, preparing to attain

her goal. It was as a student there that she visited a motion picture studio and emptured the attention of an assistant director, who offered her work as an extra. She accepted and after several

months of this work was given a part in support of Olga Patrova. Other and better parts followed. The strain of the work began to tell on her, however, and she went to England for a

She was destined for work and a few weeks later found her playing a stage encasement with screen work howe n performances. A year later she returned to the United States for a visit during which she was sirend on a long term contract by Douglas Enirhands. It was the beginning of a pine series of featured parts for Miss Brent. She second schsati nally in "Und rworld" "The Drag Net. "Interference," "The Show Down." "Prordeny," and a number of other pewerful drames. Her first produtien for Radio Pictures was 'Framed" which gained her a long term contract with that organization.

"The 'Phantom of Paris." Hollywood extras were much in demand, when production began on John Gilbert's newest talkie, "The Phartom of Paris," which is coming en Sunday to the Queen's Theatre. For the picture is of the claborate

type whose seenes require backgrounds populated by large grouns of participants. The opening scenes take place in a Paris amphitheatre, where Gibert as h magician extricates himself from a sented case filled with water. The episode of course required a typical theatre audience, which lengthened the extra list considerably. No sooner was this scene completed than filming began on the next sequence, which

were ready for more work! "Guilty Hands."

depicted a ball in a fashionable town-

house. All the extras had to do was

to change to formal clothes and they

Lionel Barrymore makes a magni-Beent bid for the dramatic acting honours of the year as the mastermurderer in Bayard Veiller's first original for the talkies, "Guilty Hands." which is showing at the Queen's Theatre.

There has been talk of audiences being tired of this, that and the other type of story. They wanted some to builling proportions. To reveal bething new. Well, they have it now, youd that point would rob the splend'd To be sure, there have been mystery film of much of its entertainment thrillers. But nothing like this. It | Alan Mowbray is the chap who is you have a wife of the screaming killed. He plays a very unusual role, type, bring a gag with you. Pins most of it as a corpse. C. Aubrey and needles play tag up and down Smith fills an important part as an your spine. Even if you're baid you'll understanding elergyman. Polly leave the show with hair standing Moran provides laughs and screams as on end. When the dead body, with Aunt Maggie, and the cast is rounded pistol in hand . . . but we'd better out by Forrester Harvey, Charles

From that point on the plot sweeps

SHARE PRICES.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks. Hongkong Bank, \$1290 sa. Chartered Banks, £13 n. Mercantile A. and B., £18 n. Enst Asin, \$1271/2 n.

Insurances. Canton Ins., \$1,369 n. Union Ins., \$4071/2 8a. China Underwriters, \$4.621/2 n. China Fires, \$590 n. H.K. Fire In., \$1,250 n. Shipping.

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Rowloon Wharves, 31531, 1, n. Whampoa Docks, \$29 n. South China Motors \$10 n. Providents (old), \$4.75 b. Hongkews, Tls. 220 n. New Engineers Tls. 61/2 n. Shanghai Docks, Tls. 901/2 n.

Cottons. Ewo Cottons Tls. 13.80 s. Shanghai Cottons, Tis, 80 1/2 n. Zoon Singa Tla, 111/2 n. Lands, Hotels, etc. H.K. Hotel (old) \$13.60 b.

H.K. S. Hotels (new) \$134, b. H. K. Lands, \$73 sa. Silmo Lands, The 30 n. Humphreys' \$18,30 n. Renities, \$11 S. Public Cillities.

Tramways, \$20,80 b. Peak Trams, (old), \$15.60 n. Star Ferries, \$93 sn. China Laghts, \$20 b. H. K. El- tries, 872 b. Maeno bacetries, \$23 n Telephones, \$43 n. -China Buses, Tls. 16 n. Singapore Tractions, 3/- n. -Industrials--

Malabons, \$38 n. .Canton Ices, \$5 n. Cements (com.) \$16.75 b. Ropes, \$151 & n. Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, 829% b. Watsons, \$16,50, 8. Irer A. Wings, \$1 n. Lane Crawfords, \$6 n. Mackintosh, \$19 b. Sinceres \$16 n. Powells, \$3.60 n. Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$19% b. Entertainments (old) \$161/4 n Constructions (old) \$5 b. S. C. Enterprises \$10 n. B. Ind. G. \$ Bonds, \$58% n. Loans, \$3% b. Prem. Constructions (new), \$1.75 n.

HONGKONG SHARE MARKET.

OFFICIAL SUMMARY BY STOCK ENCHANGE.

Rates were further marked up this morning, and the market generally shows signs of firmness.

Hongkong Banks \$1,290. Union Insurances \$40714/408. Hotels (Old) \$13.65. Hongkong Lands \$73. Hongkong Trams \$21. Star Ferries \$93. Electrics \$72/7214. Telephones (P.P.) \$2110

Buyers.

Providents (Old) \$4.75. Providents (New) \$2.05. Hotels (Old) \$13,60. Hotels (New) \$13%. H.K. Lands \$72. H.K. Renities \$101/2. Chinese Estates \$95. Ewo Cottons Tls 13.80. H.K. Trams \$20.80. Ynumati Ferries \$30 1/2. China Lights. (Old) \$20. China Lights (New) \$194₂. Electrics \$72. Telephones (P.P.) \$211/4. Singapore Tractions (Pref.) 14/-. Cements (Combined) \$16%. Cements (Old) \$11.75. Cements (New) \$5. Hongkong Ropes \$15%. Dairy Farms \$29%. Amusements \$19.75. Constructions (Old) \$5. Govt. Loans 31/4 % Premium Sellers.

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not tell you about that startling Crockett and Henry Barrows. Most unusual in point of atory, In the picture Barrymore portrays characterizations and screen treat-Richard Grant, who, as a prosecutor, ment, this new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer sent fifty men to the electric chair. feature is bound to ere te fresh in-As a criminal attorney he has saved texest in the mystery is no of screen a hundred others from a like fate. He play. It has an astonishing way of discovers his daughter (Miss Evans) keeping you completely baffled when to be infatuated with a wealthy roue, you thought you had everything There is only one way to save her figured out, and the erding is abfrom discreçe. He kills the man and solutely startling. No thing like it makes the crime appear a suicide. has ever been done on stage or

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WELSHMEN.

supported by other members of the Society. In the evening the annual dinner of the Society was held at Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, when there were present representatives of officers and men of the 1st. Battalion The South Wales Borderers, including the Male Voice Choir of the Battalion (whose Welsh songs, together with those of Mrs. F. C. Rendall and Mr. D. M. Richards, were a most enjoyable feature of the evening) and members and guests to the

total number of nearly a hundred. Grace having been said by the Rev. E. G. Powell, O.B.E., the company sat down to dinner and, after the loval tonsts had been honoured, the Male Voice Choir gave the following items: "Cydgan y Morwyr," "O Mor Ber yn y Man, "Ar hyd y nos" and "Llwyn on."

The Toast.

Wlad Fy Nhadau" (Land of my comingly by now, so the best Cecily Fathers) the President (Mr. could do was to make fun of them. David Davies) said that it was gratifying to see such a large num | men to smoke, nowadays," she said. ber present which indicated that It didn't ring right, and she knew the Society's annual functions it and could only hope desperately ontinued to retain their popularity with members and friends He referred, with particular appreclation, to the work on behalf dignity, and good manners, and of the Society of their oldest sup- loyalty, and " the hesitation was porter, Capt. R. D. Thomas, a past just perceptible. "love." President. It was a great privilege to have with the Society again representatives of the 1st. connexion to Cecily, it could only Battalion The South Wales Bor- be supposed that either Bea or Conderers and the Male Voice Choir, stance and her chauffeur had put and the courtesy of their Officer Commanding in permitting their

March I was for Welsh people the world over the autstanding for Bea, and two C's, one for Condate of the calendar, and on this day, wherever they might be or however few they might be, loyal Welsh people would endeavour to librarian or a lily - the two most come together. These celebra- impersonal things on earth. tions were more than merely like em. They are cool and calmsocial functions. Through their ing. You are cool, but -- well, not observance Welsh people thought always calming. You never say. again of the historic grandeur Why am I? The easy lead into and inherent greatness of their personalities. It's fun when you race. They gathered together to wan't: but it trips me up and do homage to the memory of their throws me headlong. You know. patron Saint, to express their You should have said, when J loyalty to the land of their birth told you that you were the first real and the Empire of which it formed girl friend I'd ever had, 'Why am a part, and to vivify memories of 1? or at least, 'Am I, really?' and

Story of St. David.

The life story of St. David, continued Mr. Davies, was to a great | just then.' extent buried in obscurity as was He pretended to sigh with relief the story of the times in which he ["I was half afraid you'd answer lived. There was, however, suf- that with, 'Is that what girls alficient information to delineate his ways say when you make that portrait with some firmness and speech? No. I can't trap you to mark the important points in his into the obvious, can I, no matter career. St. David was born at how banal I am? Please do tell Menevia. His father was Sandde, me now what you thought when a Prince in the Line of the great | you didn't think, 'Am I really?' " Cunedda, that mighty keeper of I the Roman Wall under whose well-one hypocrisy doesn't make a leadership the Celtic tribes united | hypocrite, nor one fib a fibber." into a confederacy, and called He laughed again, less appreciathemselves Cymry. His mother was I tively. "Yes, but actually," he in-Nonna, the daughter of Gynyr, of sisted. "I'm not saying that Caergawch. St. David was first baven't played with girls. I'm not taught by St. Illtyd and later by saving that I haven't thought I had Paulinus and proved himself a la bad case, once or twice and for a diligent scholar. He won fame short time. I am saying that I've not only as a great patriot, pastor | never before liked a girl, thoroughand preacher but also for his ly and unreservedly. Liking is much mighty works and kindly deeds more important than love, you which filled his life. After he know." became Primate of South Wales | "No," Cecily disputed brazenly. he, with the permission of the "That's like saying that the alpha-King, removed the Archiepiscopal bet is more important than poetry. See from Caerleon to St. David's. One has to be learned before the It is said that he went on a pil- other can be approached-that's all grimage to Jerusalem, a no easy People have to be friends before matter in those days. He attend they can be lovers. Love is liking ed a remarkable episcopal Convo. -intensified, perfected." cation held at Llan Ddewi Brefi "Wrong as wrong!" he declared. for the purpose of refuting certain "But I'm glad you think so. Oh, doctrines and it was from that boy, but I'm glad you think so!" visit Llan Ddewi Brefi derived its | And with that, and nothing furname. It was said that it was ther except, "Shall we go?" he was from St. David that the Soldiers up, and holding her coat, and in of the Cross received the leek as a great hurry to be out of the their badge. St. David died on place. 1st March, 601 when about 82 years of age and his grave was within his children's territories. made at one of the Society's func-

Beautiful Wales. fice to prove that the importance rally round. of gallant little Wales could not The toast of "Hen Wlad Fy be estimated by the numerical Nhadau" was greeted with onstrength of its people or in terms | thusiasm. of square area alone.

Wales was often referred to as the Land of Song, i.e. Hen Win! Visitors, proposed by the Vicey Gan. The National Elsteddfod President, Mr. R. R. Davies, the was now an essential part in the Rev. Dr. E. L. Allen, who recently national life and had become arrived in the Colony from Wales, known the world over. In addi- thanked the Society for the hosfacedd Ganu; and he thought he the splendid courage and fortitude might justly add that the Welsh with which the people in the inhymn strongly appealed to all dustrial area of South Wales were

red to the achievements of Wales dustry. sport and renewed the appeal local St. Patrick's Bociety, added experience.

THREE KINDS OF LOVE.

(Continued from Page 3.) of a hill. The food was poor, but the view out across the wide valley was a shifting harmony of misty blues and greys merging into lavender and deepening to violet margins in front of a sunset spread

like a Jabanese fan. The waitress came and brought the ash tray Barry had asked for, and brushed at some crumbs, and moved the catsup bottle two inches.

and departed. Barry anid, "Cecily, do you know you are the first real friendfeminine-that I have ever had?" Frail Constance and her chauf-

feur walked in and sat beside him on the right, and Ben, beautiful though weeping, sat beside him on Barry opened his eigarette case.

"Sure you won't have one? he Cecily, tired of looking at Con-

stance and her chauffeur and Bea, looked again out of the window. "No, thank you," she said.

I'm tremendously glad that you

Constance and Bea were both In proposing the toast of "Hen smoking like real comrades and be-"It seems so old-fashioned for wothat it had not sounded as if she were foraging for praise.

"But you are as old-fashioned as

Since never before had be so much as mentioned love in her him up to it.

She continued gazing out of the attendance was much appreciated, window, "Or as Billikens," or cruets, or chaperons?" she said, B. stance and one for her chauffeur. He laughed appreciatively, "You are as impersonal," he said, "as a

that dear old home and fireside. | given me an opportunity to step

"But that wasn't what I thought "I thought," she answered, " 'Oh,

l along in my conversational stride."

(To be Continued.)

Welsh people to-day used his tions by Sir William Rees Davice. memory to give expression to their a former President, that Welsh sense of racial pride and destiny. people should support the Society and meet together from year to Continuing, Mr. Davies dwelt year. Sir William took a keen inon the beautiful scenery of Wales | terest in all Welsh affairs in this and the romantic association Colony and during the past quarwhich contributed so largely to ter of a century he presided over its charm. The contribution made | the Society's celebrations on many by many illustrious Welsh people occasions. He trusted that all for the enrichment of nations and Welsh people who were not memof the mineral and agricultural bers and those who may become wealth of the country would suf- residents in the future would

Other Speakers. Replying to the toast of the carrying on, in spite of the pro-In conclusion, Mr. Davies refer- longed depression in the coal in-

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HUSBAND DENIÉS CHARGES.

Further evidence was given by Mr. Mohamed Farid before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police

Hall Brutton represents the wife. economic question. Poverty, In reply to Mr. Brooks the defenignarance, under-feeding and tudant described his wife's dissen- berculosis are bed-fellows. tion as being due chiefly to her in- As far as tuberculosis is conability to work and her resentment cerned housing is the most imof advice when given by her portant question of the economic mother-in-law. She was always and social problems. going out and neglecting the chil- It may seem that to be poor is to elder woman'a.

epithets, bringing up the family's light within a few minutes, past history and so forth. Shel Ill-ventilated and otherwise unwas ill-tempered and even when healthy houses should be unre-

not like it. bought his wife any ciothing, the capital outlay. The poorer When questioned further witness classes should be encouraged to also denied the allegations: which live in the suburbs, where land is were brought against him by the cheap; and if only the building complainant in her evidence.

Witnesses Lie!

Mr. Brutton (cross-examining): According to your story you told to the court you are the ill-used person and your wife is not?-

And yet you want her back?-

Why was it that you insisted on Mrs. Madar being sworn on the Koran?---Because I had hoped to make her tell the truth. . So you are alleging that Mrs. Madar-has-committed-perjury?== What I said was she was not telling the truth.

Is that not the same thing?--

And you are the only person telling the truth in this Court?--I mother?" am telling the truth. And do you allege that you are

the only person telling the truth?-know I am telling the truth. You shy that your wife was

lying? Yes. That Mrs. Madar was lying?-To a certain extent. Mr. Brutton went through the names of all his witnesses and asked whether each had been

affirmative. All my witnesses then were

lying, the witness replying in the

don't you? I respect my mother. ciplinarian?- Quite strict. You would not call your mother? sweet tempered woman? She's

a very reasonable woman. You would not call her sweet that they were true. tempered ?-- She's normal. Is it normal in your family to

slap people? -No. -Assault Allegation.

You have always regarded your wife as incompetent?—Yes. Useless? -- Not useless. What expression would you use? -Ignorant, ill-tempered.

not know she was ignorant and incompetent?--No.

Before you married her you did

THE TUBERCULOSIS

(Continued from Page 2.)

Prevention From Social Aspect.

Tuberculosis is a medical pro-blem which is closely linked to Court yesterday afternoon in the social and economic problems resummons case in which he is being quiring to be dealt with by the sued by his wife for maintenance community as a whole, by social and the custody of the two chil- reformers, by sanitary, municidren. Mr. E. S. C. Brooks is appearing 70 per cent. of tuberculosis occurs for the defendant, while Mr. G. K. among the poor it is indeed

dren and when her duties to her invite tuberculosis, but it is not household were impressed upon her by the defendant's mother she live in small over-crowded dwelwould reply that if she herself did lings, it costs nothing to admit not mind it was no business of the fresh air and sunlight into their The complainant, continued the tuberculosis microbe, though it defendant, would shout at the top may live for ten months or more of her voice for all the neighbours in darkened rooms, is sometimes to hear her, and used all sorts of killed on exposure to direct sun-at Bourneville weighed 8 pounds

witness joked with her she would bervedly condemned. Unfortunately each time a house is improved. Witness denied that he had never the rent goes up on account of authority will co-operate by permitting less substantial structures. provided they are commensurate with ordinary safety, then hap-

> that she was ignorant and incom-I tried to make the best of things. beaten her with a slap.

your wife to adopt," Mr. Brutton courage and perseverance to follow said, adding, "You would humble up the advance made. In this vourself and you would like your battle of man versus microbe the wife to humble herself to your public must support the medical

was in the wrong. .

all the time according to you. She's | Surely freedom from disease is a fore, she is wrong all the time. After further questions Mr. | Preventative Work Emphasised.

Brutton referred to the passage Professor Gerrard, in thanking in the letter in which witness men- the speaker, said: "The paper has tioned the incident of the feather been a very excellent one from dustor and, reminding witness that every point of view. The only Mr. Sadick had stated in evidence thing I am sorry about is that Dr. that he had seen the weals on the Li did not stress more the prevencomplainant the next day, Mr. tative side of tuberculosis be-Brutton asked: Do you think that cause the more I see of Hongkong Later Mr. Brutton asked: You the proper treatment of your wife? the more I am convinced that think very highly of your mother Witness: I was upholding the talking about curing tuberculosis emblem of manhood, at least in our list rather a disaster. All efforts

tameness you ill-treated her?- they proved of real value or not According to our Religion a man is very doubtful. Therefore, can beat his wife if she disobeys would suggest that for Hongkong

prove that.

After further evidence the hear- of a qualified medical man and in ing was adjourned until this after- that particular preventive medinoon when the final addresses will cine we have most hope in the fube made by the solicitors of both ture for the stamping out of tu-And that was your complaint, sides.

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pier days for the poor are in sight. From a tuberculosis point of view I submit that living in an over-crowded, unhealthy dwelling, is more dangerous to life than living in a less substantially constructed

Improved Housing Benefits. The general health and physique of the people, especially those of homes. It has been shown that the the children, are directly affected by improved housing, providing thereby sunlight, fresh air, and open spaces. It has been proven more and was two inches taller than n boy of the same class in Birmingham. At Port Sunlight a boy of fourteen, weighed 30 pounds more and was six inches taller than a boy of the same class and age in Liverpool, six miles away. In short, we should help to multiply garden cities and garden suburbs; and to clear slums and encourage suburban life.

Lord Rosebury once said, "In rookeries and slums an imperial race cannot be raised.'

Public Support Necessary. The prevention of tuberculosis petent?-It was not a complaint, is, then, both a medical and social question, Tuberculosis is control-Do you deny that you ever beat lable. If we may not be able to her?--1 don't deny it. I have endicate it in this generation, we shall at least lay a sound found-Mr. Brutton referred witness to ation for the well-being of the fua letter which he had written to the ture generation. Fighting against complainant's brother recapitulat- the disease is a long-drawn battle ing events which had occurred dur- in which the scientist, philaning the period of their married life. thropist, and politician should co-"This is the attitude you want operate; and they should have the profession and the authorities. Witness replied: Only when she The prosperity and happiness of the people depend on health. Mr. Brutton: She was wrong Prevention is the order of the day. ignorant, incompetent and there- freedom worth fighting for in this world of suffering and pain.

Your mother is a strict dis- religion. should be on the preventive side. Mr. Brutton mentioned the Sanatoria and so on are unwords "She's not so tame as I doubtedly very excellent things always imagined" which appeared as they have proved at home durin the letter, witness remarking ing the course of years. They are valuable educational centres for Mr. Brutton: So believing in her tuberculosis patients but whether the preventive side is the most Mr. Brutton: Don't talk important one, as preventative nonsense! You say a man can medicine is the one province of bent up his wife?--Yes, I can medicine in which the quack dare not enter. It is the sole province

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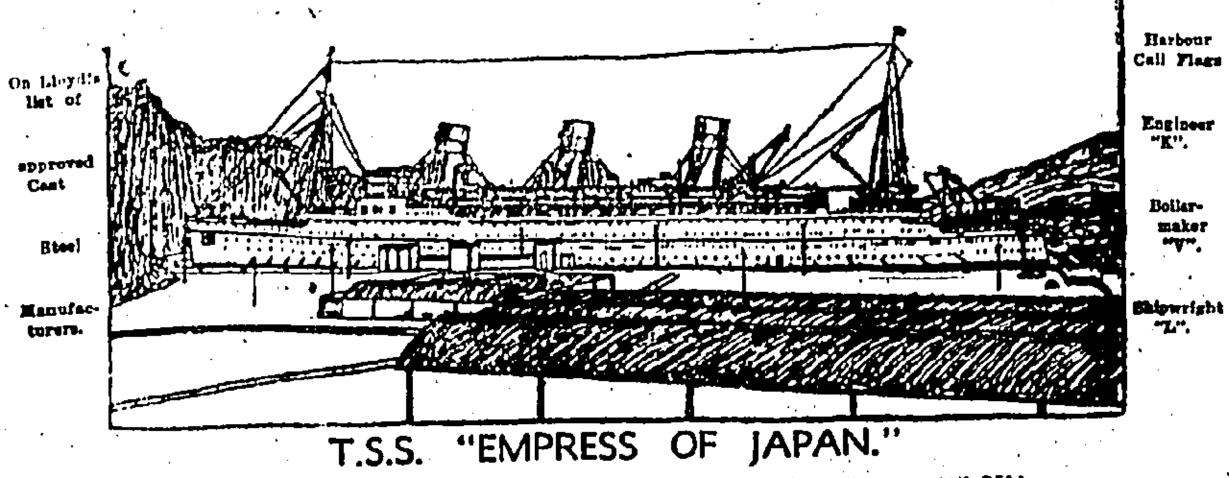
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Stewart said:-The report and ac- all requirements this summer. palaries which I feel sure will meet conditions. with your approval.

which it is proposed to deal with as follows: -- To pay dividend of \$375,000; to pay bonus of 25 cts. per share on 250,000 shares, \$62,-500; add to Cattle Reserve, \$100, lors over the Farm. 000; add to General Reserve, \$50,-000; add to Fire & Typhoon Insurance Fund, \$10,000; to carry forward, \$68,920.42.

Disposal of Investments.

During the year we disposed of most of our investments at invourable prices which gave us a net profit of \$149,183,65 as shown in the Profit and Loss Account. The remaining investments are valued in our books at \$83,162.08, and their market value on De-

cember 31 was \$165,874.08. During the year capital expenditure amounted to \$634,384,59 and in consequences writings-off are proportionately heavier.

propriations will total \$952,770. I am sure you will agree that the building up of strong reserves is a sound and necessary policy in a business such as ours. The very satisfactory working result, I am per cent, better than the year previous.

Having thus briefly dealt with the accounts I will now refer to the more important developments which have been effected in certain Departments of the Company's activities.

More Cattle.

was found necessary during the year to add to the herd in order to meet the growing demand for dairy products. We therefore imported 253 head which owing to the untavourable exchange cost \$382,801,24, almost 100 per cent. higher than previous shipments. In order to allay public anxiety during the diphtheria epidemic, we offered to pasteurize all milk TO-DAY'S MEETING. and cream sold by the Company and this has been done for some A satisfactory working year and time past. I am glad to say that replying to a House of Commons additions to its herds and premises we are again able to supply our were reported by the Chairman customers with fresh milk and (Mr. A. B. Setwart) to share-cream particularly as it has been goods still subject to the French holders of the Dairy Farm, Ice and found, in many cases, that pas-

We hope with our increased In presenting his report. Mr. herd to be in a position to meet with your permission take them as to accommodate the additions to read. Your Directors are pleased the herd we had to build four new to be able to come before you with cow sheds. The buildings and French Government. such a satisfactory balance sheet, sheds at the farm have been mainin spite of the difficult times we tained in their usual excellent garding the Import Duties Act have gone through, more particu- condition and it is a matter of states that if goods are to be larly in regard to the violently ansiderable satisfaction to know entitled to exemption from duty fluctuating exchange. In view of that in the unanimous opinion of on the ground that they are the very satisfactory result ob- experts visiting the Colony, our Empire goods, at least twenty-five tained, the staff have been voted a cattle sheds are second to none in per cent. of their value must be bonus of 15 per cent. on their cleanliness comfort and hygienic derived from material grown or

The net profit, including the sum to our customers and the public of \$31,418,94 brought forward from to visit our farms and witness for last year, amounts to \$666,420.42 themselves the care and attention devoted to the production of milk and other dairy, products. \$1.50 per share on 250,000 shares. The Secretary will issue special

Ice and Cold Storage.

Storage Departments, we have: to meet all demands for space. We have also ordered, and hope to have in full operation, a further! The Company's reserves under ing an additional ice store for Mr. Stewart said that it was invarious heads with the new ap- carrying a larger stock of ice to) meet the heavy demands during the summer months, see

I should like to express the thanks and appreciation of their

Tribute to Directors.

Seconding Mr. Stewart's protion of the sound and efficient The Farm and Da'ry Depart-previous year was 1927, but 1931 bury. S. Hamoden Ross, Chan ments have been maintained at the highest state of efficiency. It management may be proud. Our and J. D. Thomson.

FRENCH SURTAX POSITION.

HOW BRITISH GOODS ARE AFFECTED.

London, Mar. 1. The President of the Board of Trade, Mr. Walter Runciman. question to-day, gave a list of Cold Storage Co., Ltd., at the teurized milk was not very well sixty per cent. of the British tennual general meeting this mornfrom this impost. He said they had made it clear that their Hobjection to the surtax was one counts having been in your hands am glad to report that the herd of principle, and the question of its for the prescribed period I will is in excellent health. In order definite removal was one which future negotiations with the

An announcement issued refrom work done within a part of We again extend an invitation the Empire,-British Wircless.

> thanks are due to our excellent manager and staff."

After the proposal for the adoppermits to applicants and arrange- tion of the report had been carried ments will be made to show visi- unanimously, Mr. Bailey said:-"I understand that the violent fluctuations in exchange and the development of our Company has entailed During the year the town del more than ordinary attention by pot alterations were completed our Directors. In view of our very as the additional space was ur satisfactory year and in view of gently needed to meet the require. the fact that practically all the ments of our growing business other local companies have increased their Directors' fees, I Regarding the Ice and Cold propose that \$7,000 be said to our Directors as exera remuneration during the year under review for the year 1931, in addition to added two new freezing stores the sum provided in the Comto our extensive storage accom- pany's Articles of Association, to modation and are in a position be paid out of the balance car-| ried forward.".

> Mr. Stevenson seconded, and on the proposition being carried, the Board's efforts were appreciated by the shareholders.

Other Business.

Directors and shareholders to On the proposal of Mr. S. the management and staff for Hampden Ross, seconded by Mr. their loyal and faithful co-opera- Chan Nai-pan, Messrs, Stewart increased turnover which was 30 tion which has made possible the and Warren were re-elected direcsatisfactory result now before tors, and Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth & Fleming, appointed audi-Itors at a remuneration of \$2,000.

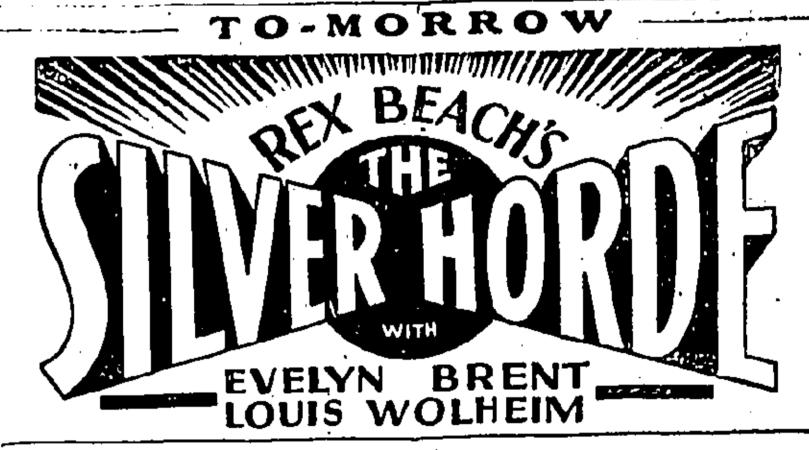
Those present were Messrs. A. B Stewart (Chairman). J. I desire to express my apprecia- Own Hughes, J. P. Warren, T. E. management of our Company, (Secretary), A. Stevenson (Manawhich is responsible for the ex- (ver) and Messrs, W. S. Belley, ellent returns before us. Our best H. J. M. F'enere'do, B. W. Brad-



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Over Two Thousand Killed Yesterday: Whole Line Falling Back.

LINDBERGH BABY KIDNAPPED.

FEW DETAILS OF OUTRAGE.

New York, Mar. 2. The nine-months-old baby sonof Colonel and Mrs. Lindbergh Advisory Committee, set

has been kidnapped "No-hody has any time to talk," was the only reply to enquirie the Exchequer, Mr Neville Chamat the home of the world famous. airman, regarding the circumstances of the outrage.

is contained in a police broadeast waith merely states that the baby was dressed in a sleepingsuit and was kidnapped between 7.30 p.m. and 8 o'clock last night. ...Reuter.

CHINA AND THE SOVIET.

NANKING NOT GOING "RED."

Shanghai, Mar. 2. The recommendation for the resumption of relations with the Soviet Government will be submitted to the Kuomintang Plenary Session which opened yesterday at

A high official of the Nanking Government said that there is need to ear China is again accepting Communistic doctrines. A resumption of political relations with the Soviet Government did not mean in the least that China was about to turn Communist.~ Rensha.

BIG EXPLOSION A' HARBIN.

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AN AMMUNITION DUMP GOES UP.

Tokyo, Mar. 2. It is reported that more than a hundred casualties, including Chinese guards and civilians. resulted from a terrific explosion in a Chinese powder magazine; the Mahchiaokou Racecourse, in the southern suburb o

Harbin. The explosion is believed inve been of incendiary origin. Plain-clothed soldiers are suspected of an attempt to blow up a Japanese hangar in the neigh bourhood.—Reuter.

TO-MORROW'S ASSEMBLY MEETING.

appointed chief French delegate further. It is central to the to the special meeting of the bouth-east of Shanghai and is League Assembly on Thursday | nearly stationary, Local forecast M. Massigli and M. Basicvant are N.E. winds, moderate: generally also appointed delegates .- Reuter | w reast, some rain later.

BRITISH TARIFF BOARD.

Large Salaries for Making Up Government's Mind.

London, Mar. The personnel of the Tariff under the Import Duties Act, was ennounced by the Chancellor of Sectain, in the House of Commons

The members are Sir George The only news concerning at May (chalrman), Sir sidney Chapman and Sir George Allan Powell. The committee's chief function will be to consider representations regarding the provisions of the Act and to recommend additional duties on the articles subject to the ten per cent, ad valorem duty, i It will have to consider the future of duties levied under the Abnormal Importations Act, which i -

expires next May,.....

Sir George May (pictured on chairman of the Economy Committee, whose (report on the finances of the country precedbudget last

formerly Secretary of the Prudential Insur-

ance Company. Sir Sidney Chapman, was a Professor of Political Economy before becoming Chief Economic Adviser to the Government.

Sir Allan Powell was Chairman of the Food Council and Chief Officer of Public Assistance to the London County Council.

Mr. Percy Ashley, formerly of he Board of Trade has been ansointed Secretary.

The Chairman receives five thousand pounds and the other members three thousand pounds per annum, the appointments being for three years. They held their first meeting to-day.-British Wireless.

KNOCKED DOWN BY PLANE.

WOMAN INJURED AT KAI TACK.

The somewhat unusual experience of being knocked down by an aeroplane befel a married woiman named Chung Mui yesterday

She was attempting to cross the Kai Tack Aerodrome flying field just as one of the machines was landing, when she was struck by the plane.

Only minor injuries were received, these being treated later it the Kowloon Hospital. It was Inot found necessary to detain her.

The Royal Observatory reports M. Paul Boncour has been that the anticyclone has weakened

ABANDONED.

THREAT FROM LIUHO SAID TO BE CAUSE OF RETIREMENT.

ASSAULT ON AND LEFT FLANK.

(SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH").

_SHANGHAI, Mar. 2, 12.44 p.m. "IT LOOKS VERY MUCH LIKE THE BEGANNING OF THE END OF CHINESE RESISTANCE TO THE INVADER."

This was the general comment in Shanghai this morning when it became known that the Chinese were carrying out a general retreat, abandoning all the dearly-fought-for positions in Chapei as well as Kiangwan.—Reuter.

EIGHTEEN HUNDRED SLAIN YESTERDAY.

Shanghai Mar. 2, 12. 44 p.m. Indicating the severity of the fighting to the wes: of Kiangwan Village yesterday, the Japanese concede that they suffered over four hundred casualties, while over eighteen hundred Chinese dead were counted, including a batch of two hundred slain at one small, strong point, which had been the scene of a grim struggle for several days. Every attack launched against the position had been swept back by furious fire from the gallant defenders, but yesterday they were wiped out.

But while these very heavy losses suffered by the Chinese, chiefly from the terrific bombardments from guns and aeroplanes, and the continued intensive shelling, have severely shaken the morale of the Chinese forces, it appears that it was the new threat, arising from the landing of the Eleventh Japanese Division near Liuho, threatening to take the Chinese forces on the flank and rear, which resulted in the issue of orders for a general retreat last night.

NANTAO FLIGHT.

Some Nantao policemen wer

borders when trying to enter the

The headquarters of the Woo-

arrested this morning, on

French Concession. They

The Chinese troops in the of Police at Nantao caused a arrangements for a truce have near the Oie. Kiangwan area have fallen back panic among his subordinates by been completed, it is notable that .- The explosion was terrific, bu to the Tazang line.

has been engaged, in hot work ed very unlikely). in the vicinity of the North Station, also evacuated their positions during the night and are reported to be falling back on Chenju.

QUINSAN STAND?

It is also learned that the whole police are evacuating Nantuo. of the Chinese forces north of the Spochow Creek are falling sung and Shanghai gendarmeric back on Quinsan.

have been transferred to the During the night, the Chief International Settlement .- Reuter.

SHANGHAI'S FEELING OF RELIEF. (SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"):

Shanghai, Mar. 2. That the Chinese troops are re- | the infantry. treating has taused no surprise in foreign circles for it was realised that they could not hold out indeincluding whippet tanks and high-

| speed bombing planes, to suppor

REMARKABLE FEAT.

The very fact that the Chinese finitely against the hammer-blows troops have held out for so long is Kiangwan front are falling back of the Japanese troops with all the hailed as a very remarkable on Tazang following relentless most modern implements of war, achievement, but the infliction on pressure by the Japanese since casualties, (nearly two thousand sive yesterday morning. were killed yesterday) and the re- Fighting proceeded all through lentless bombardment by the the night, and the Japanese admit the Chinese troops.

nathies, feels relieved at the deve- Chinese positions were subjected unable to report any advance. lopment, because it will no longer to a severe strafing. be in the immediate vicinity of a war which has had a very disastrous effect on commerce and The Chinese are giving ground the Japanese that they intend to the Chinese had translated their trade.-Reuter.

Chinese Plans Unknown.

Shanghai, Mar. 2, 2.37 p.m. the North Stat'on and if the battle means that they will be as difficult is resumed it will undoubtedly be to dislodge at Tazang as they 'n country where the International were at Klangwan Village. Se'tlement will not be endangered. Linst night and this morning.

and the Chiang Kai-shek National forces wished to land on the lines rapidly, having moved for furniture in the wardroom. Guard Division, the 88th, which Nantao Bund (which is consider- ward about three miles to-day .-Our Own Correspondent. Shanghal, 11.58 a.m.

treating to Chenju, and the Idzumo at 1.20 p.m. Chinese troops at Nantao, who I It is considered remarkable that have been guarding against a such a terrific shock did so little possible Japanese attack, are also damage to the flagship, withdrawing.

port that the Chinese troops and The Japanese threat to homb the rallways has not been made in vain. At 7.30 a.m. six bombers, escorted by three fighting planes, ed that the explosion occurred withexplosives on the Shanghai-Nan- the port side. king Rallway near Kunshan, thirty miles from Shanghai.

Japanese planes intend to bomb the Chinese positions near Liuho some time this morning,-Reuter.

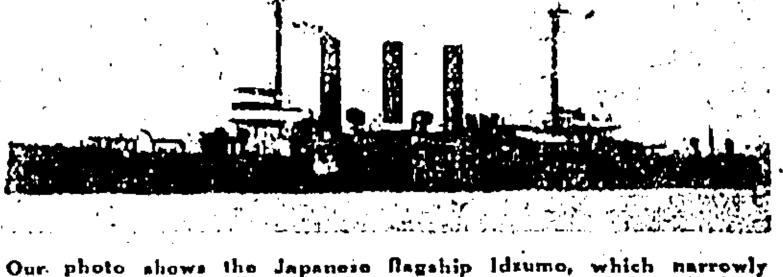
Pootung Fighting Now Expected. (Our Own Correspondent).

Shanghai, Mar. 2, 10.15 a.m. The Chinese forces on the their ranks of extremely heavy they commenced their big offen-

Japanese artillery, which are to considerable losses, while alleged to have occasionally used claiming advances of over three leadite, which is a more powerful thousand yards on the right flank explosive than T.N.T., has gone and considerable gains all along a long way towards demoralising the line. There was a brief cessation of the infantry engage-Shanghai, whatever its sym- ment this morning while the new

infantry were again engaged. way since the announcement by a disorderly retreat and they are inflicting much damage on attacking forces. Strong defences retiring rapidly from Chapel and stubborn resistance probably

The plans of the Chinese Milit. the Japanese concentrated their



escaped disaster yesterday when a depth mine was fired close by her.

MINE WARSHIPS.

WRECKAGE ON DESTROYER.

SEARCH PARTIES OUT TO DAY.

(Our Own Correspondent).

Shanghai, Mar. 2. Yesterday's "earthouake" which caused a considerable scare in the Settlement among the Chinese, proved on investigation to have been caused by an attempt to blow Japanese war vessels in the harbour.

Persons believed to be associated which is not so prominent. with the Chinese military apparently touched off two depth mines in and nailed to the highest tower by the immediate vicinity of the crul- an amateur steeplejack imbued ser, Idzumo, the flagship of Ad-| with the Nationalist spirit. miral Nomura, and the destroyer,

FIRST AT 11 A.M.

There were two blasts. first was touched off at about eleven o'clock in the morning on the Pootung side of the river,

issuing orders that no resistance the Japanese forces on the Klang- it caused little damage to the de-The Chinese troops in Chapei, should be offered if the Japanese wan front are advancing their stroyer, other than wrecking the The second blast, which was so

terrific that it rocked the whole of the centre of the International The Ninetcenth Army is re- Settlement, went off near the

ADMIRAL ABOARD.

the Idzumo at the time and he stat-

Admiral Nomura was away when the explosion occurred; conferring with General Shirakawa, the commander of the Eleventh Japanese Division, which arrived during the morning. They were discussing, it is supposed, where the troops should be employed.

LOOKING FOR MORE.

After the explosions, the Japanese warships immediately lowered small vessels carrying searching parties, looking for more mines. The search is still proceeding this pans approaching anywhere near the warships are closely scrutinis-

were found close to the ships after the explosions, have been arrested.

suffered many casualties and are By eight o'clock, however, the on the Shanghai-Nanking Rail- withdraw the Japanese troops till

ment of troops stops. ing and Japanese aeroplanes yes-The Nineteenth Route Army is are prepared at Tazang, and their terday sourced over the Markham taught them the unreliability of Road, goods yard and heavily Chinese promises. bombed the lines.

POOTUNG FIGHT COMING

It is learned that the Japanese ary Command are unknown, but artillery at Hongkew Park upon are planning to land some of the barkation, provided neutral troops all forces are being concentrated the Chinese position in Chapei and reinforcements now arriving on are prepared to take measures to and it may be preparatory to again many fires are raging there. the Pootung mainland and there In the street fighting which has is reason to expect fighting in this ensure that the Chinese troops do Though it is being stated that taken place, the Japanese have region in the near future, unless not returned.

ATTEMPTS UNION JACK INCIDENT.

WELSH NATIONALIST DEMONSTRATION AT CARNARVON.

(Reuter's Special Service).

London, Mar. 1. The Union Jack was hauled down and torn to shreds and the Welsh flag, the "Red Dragon," substituted by ardent Welsh Nationalists at .Carnaryon Castle, in North Wales

The incident followed local agiation for some time past that the Welsh flag should be flown from the highest tower of the Castle on St. David's Day, March 1. which

is also the Welsh National Day. Government sanction for this was, however, refused and the Red Dragon was flown, as previously, from the West Tower of the castle,

The flag was, however, removed

When officials discovered the substitution, they restored the Union Jack and placed the Red Dragon

once again at the West Tower. A party of students later entered the castle, climbed the tower and again removed the Union Jack, which was torn to ribbons in the squarec

STOP PRESS.

Shanghai, Mar. 2, 2.37 p.m. Japanese military headquarters Admiral Shiosawa was on board state that by 12.30 p.m. their troops had completed the troops let loose missiles containing high in thirty metres of the vessel on had completed the occupation of Tazang, which is four miles due west of Klangwan.

They have hoisted the Japanese flag as a signal to their aircraft that the town is in Japanese hands .- Reuter.

Tokyo, Mar. 2.

Japan has agreed in principle morning and the occupants of sam- to the mutual withdrawal of Chinese and Japanese troops, but not to simultaneous withdrawal, Two Chinese sampan men, who declared an official spokesman, commenting on the report Sir John Simon had stated that Japan had agreed to simultaneous withdrawnl. The spokesman asserted There has been much activity that it was impossible to agree to slowly. There is no suggestion of destroy the lines unless the move- promise into action by actually withdrawing twenty kilometres, as Fresh troops have been arrivable bitter experience in the past had

But as soon as the Chinese are withdrawn, the Japanese troops are propared to commence em-



whole place was wrecked, but most of the machines had been removed earlier.

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LI SHU-FAN'S ADDRESS AT ROTRARY CLUB.

HUGE PROBLEM.

Describing the disease as one of the most gigantic problems that mankind is compelled to tackle. Dr. Li Shu-fan, F.R.C.S., delivered a most illuminating address on the present situation of tuberculosis and how to combat it, at vesterday's Rotary Club luncheon Crawford's restaurant, under the

One of the most beneficent legislation in Hongkong in this connexion is the recently passed Anti-Spltting By-Law as applied to pubthe right direction, and I sincerely against tuberculosis. I hail also munity. the periodical publication by the health authorities of the death figures due to tuberculosis. There I conscience of the community.

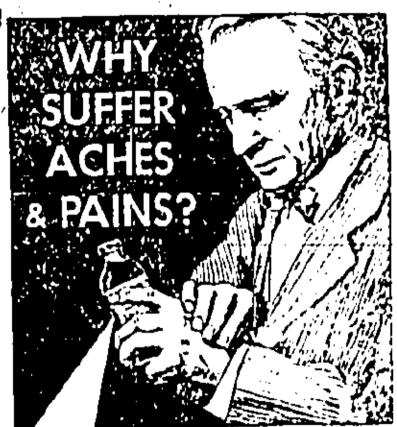
nurse or health visitor.

In the warfare against tuberculosis it is essential that the community should possess a complete anti-tuberculosis scheme. Such a scheme should include the provision of tuberculosis dispensaries. sanatoria, open-air schools, aftercare committees, etc.

The working of this machine should be conducted by tuberculosis medical officers, the health visitors and the visiting nurses.

Dispensary Need.

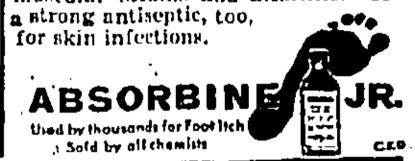
A dispensary, being more or less in the nature of a clearing house, should have at least one tuberenlosis medical officer who is armed with expert knowledge and the mercasary equipment for making diagnosis and treatment



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All doubtful cases should be re- cases after discharge, examining ferred to him. While the late and advising them periodically. cases are referred to the segrega- I once heard the argument that tion hospitals, or supervised home lowing to climatic conditions Hongsorted out for the sanatoria.

vided it is detected and treated answered by the adage: a dispensary is really an out-pa- out a nearby fire." tient department solely devoted to tuberculosis work.

The main function of the sana- Another argument is, what good

Sanatoria Work.

of spitting is the segregation of tuberculosis stage with a view of home conditions, culosis medical officer, the visiting as gardening, poultry-farming, health nurse visitors, etc. etc. Finally it can follow up

treatments, the early cases are kong is not the place for a sanatorium, and that the best place for It is now generally accepted it is Weihniwel. The first part of that tuberculosis is curable, pro- the argument may be fittingly in the early stage of the disease. good is done by looking at the The free and expert dispensary mouth of a starving horse;" and service should attract a large the second part by the Chinese number of such early cases. Such saying: "Distant water cannot put

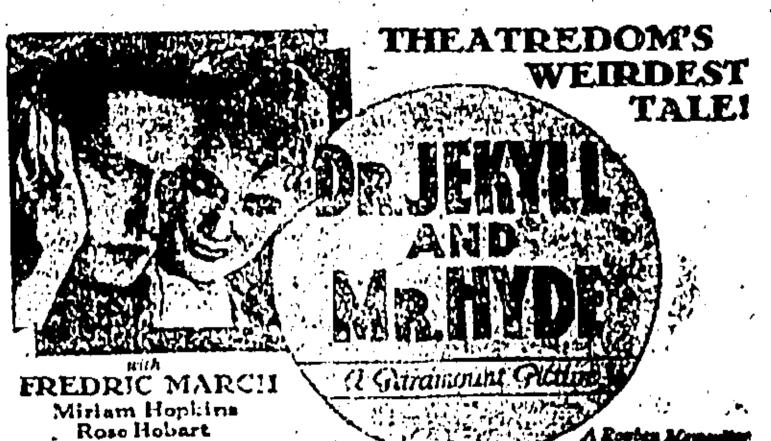
Education of Patients.

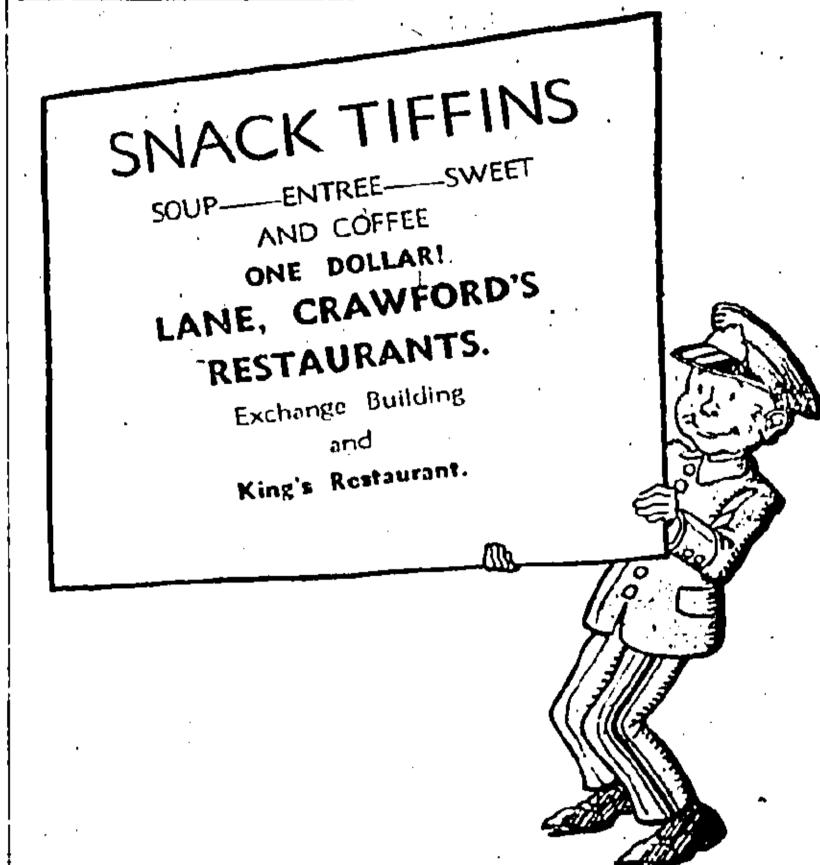
torium is the treatment of early is a sanatorium if at the end of cases. The earlier the treatment, the treatment the patient has to which was held in Messrs. Lane the shorter will be the stay in the return to his former unsanitary sanatorium. The larger the num-surroundings? As a matter of Chairmanship of Sir William ber of restored patients with fact the sanatorium is a practical Hornell. He said, in part: working capacity, the greater is school for the patient. Here he the reward to the community with will learn all the rules of health, many lives of usefulness re- what to avoid and how to get claimed. On the other hand, if well, and he should certainly be the diagnosis and treatment are instilled with the will to get well, lic eating houses. It is a step in delayed, the greater will be the which counts so much in the batnumber of incurables and the more tie. Moreover, the educational trust that this will mark the begin- govern the misery and burden to value of a sanatorium among a ning of the long overdue movement both the family and the com- wide circle of patients' relatives and acquaintances, lays a sure foundation for the prevention of tuberculosis in the future. One The sanatorium could be made must not forget the beneficent. is probably no better means of the centre of many beneficent part of the after-care committee, awakening the anti-tuberculosis activities, apart from the treat- which will, after discharge, renment of early cases. It could der the patient any necessary ad-Next in importance to the control treat patients in the pre- vice, relief, help, or improvement

advanced cases of tuberculosis with to prevention. In the United The provision of the dispenthe view of controlling the main States a special institution saries, sanatoria and the aftersource of infection. In England of this nature is provided care committee are absolute necestuberculosis is made a notifiable apart from the sanatorium, sities. These undertakings may disease. It is thought that the and is called the preventorium, be met at first by united public removal of advanced and incur- it is defined as "a 24-hour, 12- efforts, and should be subsidized able cases to special hospitals month institution for the care and or, as in many countries, entirely would remove the chief source of observation of children sub-stand- undertaken, by the government. infection. As long as advanced and in health." For this reason These activities may either be uncases are permitted to remain at the Grancher System as adopted der the auspices of the anti-tuhome without supervision, they in France has much to commend, berculosis society or in close coare a constant menace to the According to this system the child operation with it. The society family, and those around them, is taken away from the tuberculo- should include in its scope the and each home, then, becomes a sis home and is transferred to the 'inauguration of anti-tuberculosis centre of infection. The alterna- | care of a selected farmer's family, | campaigns, the provision of health tive to segregation is the improve- The scope of the sanatorium can lectures, the distribution of literament of home conditions with pro- be further extended by teaching ture on tuberculosis, the appointper supervision under the tuber- patients such open-air occupations ment of after-care committees, the

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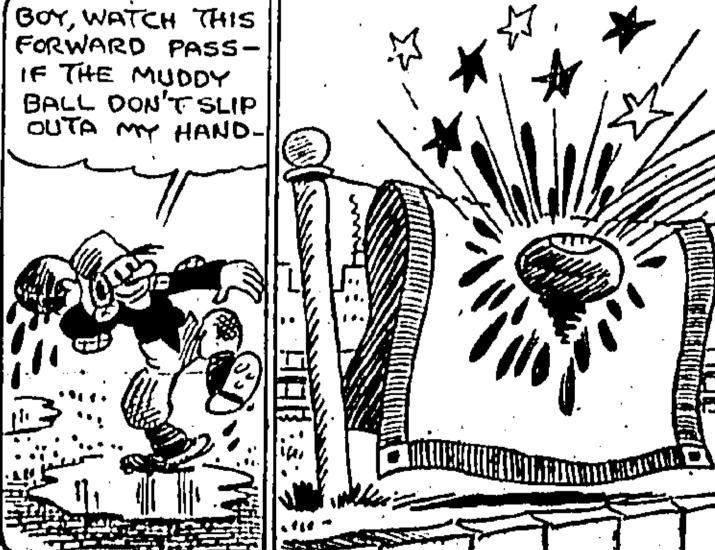


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Taking the open ditch in the Cranford Handicap Steeplechese. The winner, Mr. E. Platt's Kingsford (No. 2), is seen on the left.—(Times copyright).



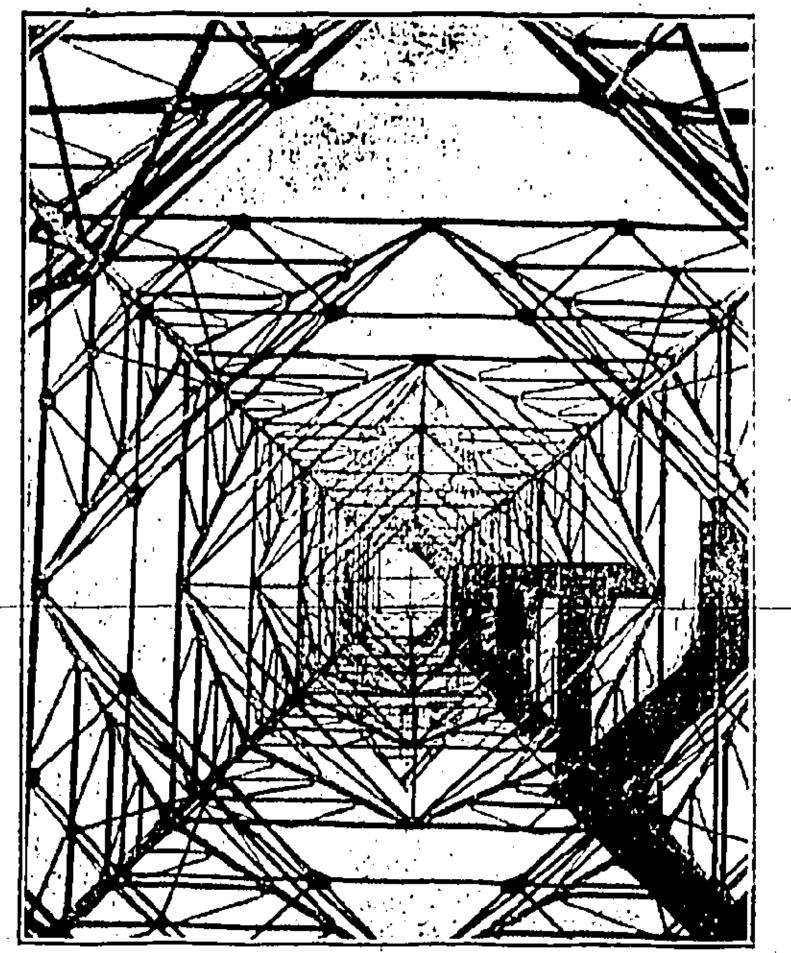
Philadephia merchants erected this 50-foot image of St. Nicholas-with a talking machine voice that answer the questions of children.



The Prime Minister opened the new radiotelephone service between England and South Africa. He is seen in his study at No. 10, Downing street talking to General Hertzog in Capetown .- (Times copyright).



THE PRINCE OF WALES made an important speech at a special meeting organized by the National Council of Social Service at the Albert Hall. He is shown at the beginning of the meeting, over which he presided,-(Times copyright).



Looking up the interior of one of the 300 ft. high pylons which are being erected near Barking to carry electric power cable over the River Roding. The Barking station is designed to supply an area of 9,000 square miles with electricity.—(Times

DEGIN HERE TO-DAY.

her with their grandparents, once wealthy. I thought he would have, if she'd earnings support the household. The sisters waited. A man can't get mad and have been orghined since childhood. The quit every time a girl doesn't offer grandparents are known respectively as to kiss him good night, can he?" work and Mary-brances, 15, is still in school, same—that sounds like a quarrel When the story opens Anna has been engaged to Philip Ecroyd, young Invyer, for eight to me." years. They can not marry because Anne known her sisters und grandparents depend on her to mininge their home. with whom she is falling in love though she has known him only a short time. Mary- to the point of talking marriage. Frances and her friend. Ermintrude Hill, But, anyway, Cissy, what can a Armount, stock company actor- To Marr- girl do with a man who says he Frances he is an intensely communic figure, can't quarrel? It's awell for him, She meets him secretly and promises to are of course. But it simply means to the office in his car, He bees her to set utterly about everything-you! their wedding date. When she points out know. I told butie that if the McKeel in a heart-breaker and not to be

CHAPTER XIX

flection.

Like mamma says, they have to go 1 owe her ever so many parties, her life. She remembered, con- and Rosalle frowned so darkly at together for quite a while to find and—" scientiously, to forget all about it slang. Any man who was as out whether they want to marry, "he did have a reason, of course, "When is it to be?" if it was only that he suddenly got "A week from to-morrow night, that people slandered him.

say that they'd had an argument, member." but that as far as she was con- She was swaying down the aisle, money and clothes and chauffeurs was of Phil, did not run after him. didn't talk. So then she came kles.

right in and didn't offer to kiss him Anne, Cecily and Mary-Frances Penwick good night -- but she said she Anne, 2s, and Ceclly, 22, do secretarial "I should hope not, Just the

"Well, what if it was? Lutie said she thought, maybe, Bea had been Cecily has a new admirer, Barry Mckeel, flirting a little, trying to get him Next morning Phil comes to take Anne that he'd have to have his own way Cecity's friend, Marta, tells her Barry girls had had their share of grey matter they'd have let him out for air when he first pulled that 'can't! quarrel' line. What can you do with a man like that? Honestly! "Were they engaged?" Cecily Just, 'Yes, dear' and 'No, dear' gave it a not-that-it-matters in- around him all the time. Silliest thing I ever heard of!"

But I do say that when a man will Ugh-Huh department. The more I phoned to Ann, at noon, to tell her was not positively brutal would do that twice in two years-just think of it the madder I get. I that she had given up the idea of have to feel at least a stirring of throw two dandy girls down flat, won't make a fuss. I'm not going, a birthday party. Oh—different pity for a stupid, dowdy, provincial reasons at all—any girl Herbert can't bear Gretchen, any-who knows about it, if she has any way. He'll be glad to get out and Herbert had another engage-her—well, at least her absurd adsense, will leave him utterly alone," of it. Makes me sick when I ment. She remembered that miration for him. "Well," said Cecily, essaying logic, think how I've stood up for her." Barry was cruel and fickle, and that But for Marta sho too might

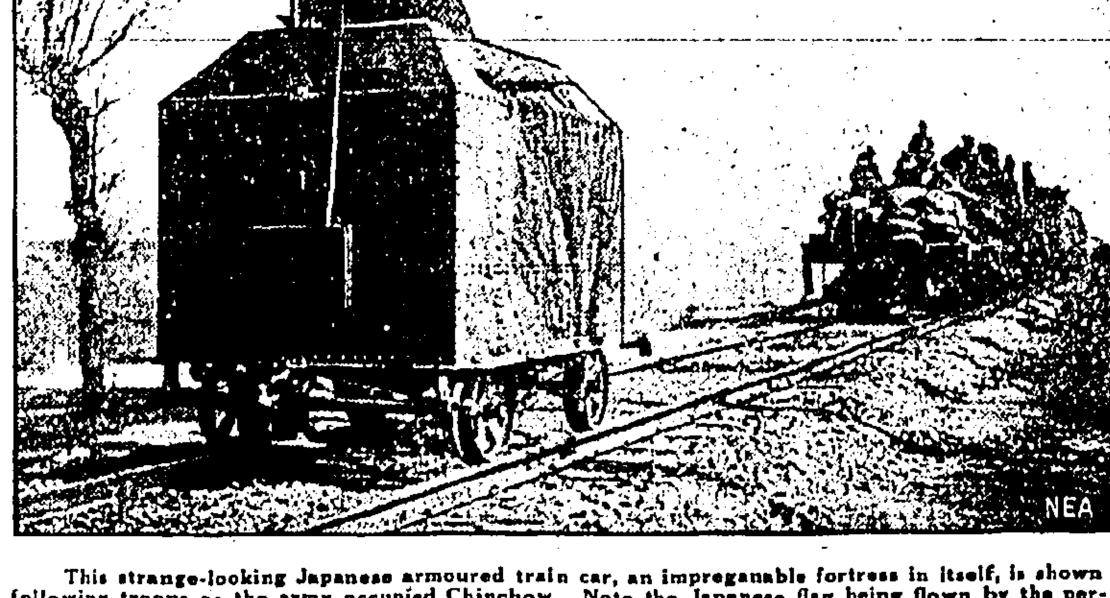
"No, they weren't engaged," said | Cecily forced herself to stop | Cecily remembered. All day from Billy's flask the other even-Marta. "But, honestly. Cissy, thinking that it might be tolerable long she remembered, variously, ing for fear—since she had never when a man has been madly rush- to "Yes, dear" and "No, dear" She remembered it as an unforgiv- taken sips-it might go to her head ing a girl for months, if he's de- around Barry all the time and said, able falsehood and an insupportable and make her act silly. She. cent he'll force her to let him down, "Marta, promise me that you won't truth; she remembered it as egre- couldn't smoke; she had never got won't he? I don't expect a man make a fuss at Gretchen's party, gious nonsense, as none of her into the habit of using all this to marry every girl he goes with. Gretchen has loads of friends, and affair, as a cardinal component of smart new slang, because Grand

"Ch, yeah? Put that in the and sound happy when she tele-sophisticated as Barry and who

tired of them. Maybe the girls Gretch didn't ask me until yester. Throughout the day she did to have her cry. Barry would hate didn't know the reason; but maybe day evening, but she said I finished think of a few other things. She to have anyone cry. Barry was they did and didn't like to tell."

the list. I'll bet I'm a fill-in. She thought that her pink dress and gentle. Barry was reasonable. Ann's yellow were too short; and Everyone should be reasonable. but I've been home except for the that all their clothes were downy. She had played with boys, hadn't the state of the list. I'll bet I'm a fill-in. She that all their clothes were downly. She had played with boys, hadn't be reasonable. Bea did say that when she began to Allens' luncheon and the bridge and out of fashlon. She thought she? Why shouldn't he have playgo with Barry he told her that he club. Probably she didn't mean to that Barry was an entire stranger ed with girls? Was it his fault couldn't quarrel. That he had a nak me either. Jean's having sinus to her, and that she had been an that he had grown tired? She complex or something about quarter trouble again. Here's my street, idiot to hope to touch the far edges had done things of the sort. rels. I forget whether she said I'll fix Gretch Steigerwald sooner of his life. She never, of course, Nearly everyone had. Refused to complex or repression—but you or later. Call me up, Clasy. Re- had really hoped to enter into his answer the telephone? Refused to know what I mean. He said a member'—Marta took a step back- life. She must have known that answer notes? Well, the silly quarrel blew him out like a candle, ward and stooped to murmur in his life was full before she had ever things should not have pursued and he couldn't. But Ben said they Cecily's ear-"what I told you wet him. Full? Crammed with him with telephone calls and notes. hadn't actually quarreled. She did about that Barry McKeel. Re- girls, glamorous girls who lived in Even Ann (poor Ann, her yellow

cerned it was just foolishness, and and everyone was staring at her and trips to Europe, and who cried Men hated pursuit—or so Cecily she never dreamed that he was tweeds, her trim little hat, and the about him. really angry. She said he just gloves with their extravagant wrin- Her pink dress was too shora, glad that she had too much pride.



following troops as the army occupied Chinchow. Note the Japanese flag being flown by the perambulatory fort.

he was kind and honourable, and soon have been crying about that

New York and who had made of was away too short), as sure as she

She had not dared take even a sip Now if, when she went into the

Barry McKeel. Barry would hate had been informed. She was very



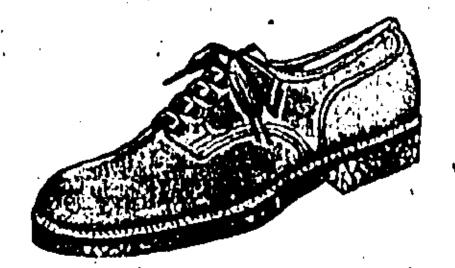
Lt. Communder J. D. de M. Leathes, who commanded and was lost with the M. Z. He was at one time on the China Station.

street from the building this evening, Barry were not there-But he would be there. He had said that he'd be right there by the door. But if he weren't? If she should never see him again? If he refused to answer her telephone

They dined in a queer, empty little place that smelled of new lumber and was stuck on the side (Continued on Page 10.)

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LIANG CHI HAO, Managing Director. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1932.

CHINA ENTERTAINMENT & LAND INVESTMENT CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General to attend these practices, particu-Meeting of the Members of the larly the first on Friday, 1th, China Entertainment & Land Investment Co., Ltd., will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, King's Theatre Building. 5th Floor, at 12.15 p.m. on Wednese. garden, wanted on long lease, per- for the purpose of considering, and if thought fit, passing the MACAO GREYHOUND RACING

That there shall be added to Article 71 of the Articles of Association of the Company the words: ---

traordinary General Meeting of MACAO GREYHOUND RACING the Members of the China Entertainment & Land Investment Co., I.td., will be held at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, the 13th day of April 1932, for the purpose of receiving a report of the proceedings at the tabove-mentioned Meeting and of confirming. the abovementioned Resolution. Dated this second day of March

LIANG CHI HAO. Managing Director

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

The Final Dividend declared \$50.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) for the Year ending 31st December. TARY upon Introduction by a Mem-'931, at the rate of Three Pounds | ber, such Member to be responsible Sterling at exchange 1/51/4 is for Payment of All Chits. &c. payable on and after the 29th; Badges admitting to Members' En-February, 1932, at the Offices of Race Course. Warrants.

V. M. GRAYBURN, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 27th February, 1932. HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL

SOCIETY. THE ANNUAL SHOW FLOWERS and VEGETABLES will be held at the VOLUNTEER PARADE GROUND on THURS-DAY, the 3rd MARCH, 1932, from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Lady Peel has kindly consented to present the

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NOTICE is hereby given that the that the SECOND ORDINARY | 43rd Ordinary Annual Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the HOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the Company, Exchange Registered Offices of the Company, Building, Des Voeux Road Central, King's Theatre Building, 5th Victoria, Hongkong, on Thursday, receive the Directors! Report and a Statement of Accounts and the Accounts for the year ended 31st Report of the Directors for the December, 1931, to elect Auditors, year ended 31st December, 1931.

and to transact such other bust- The Transfer Books of the Comness as may be properly transacted | pany will be closed from Saturday. at an Ordinary General Meeting 12th March, 1932, to Thursday, 31st March, 1932, both days inclusive.

> By order of the Board of Directors, ALLAN KEITH.

> > Secretary.

Hongkong, 1st March, 1932. ST. PATRICK'S SOCIETY

OF HONG KONG. Practice Dances will be held in Helena May Institute on Fridays.

Monday, March 14th. Members and friends are invited

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R. T. MAHONY, Joint Hon. Secretaries

NOTICE.

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Holders of \$10 Cash Sweep tickets sold by the above Club are bereby notified that this Race is cancelled, and that such tickets "but the Chairman shall will be exchanged for tickets of receive double remaneration." the same value in the 5th. Race AND NOTICE IS HEREBY of the Meeting to be held on 4th. ALSO GIVEN that a further, Exc. June, 1932, on application to:-

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> 1.30 p.m. MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE Members are notified that they and

their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed. No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and

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the Corporation, where shares On No Pretext will Children be holders are requested to apply for permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

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admitted Half Price. Bookmakers, Tie Tac Men. &c. will not be permitted to operate with in the Precincts of the Hongkons Jockey Club during the Race Meeting Time will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

By Order, C. B. BROWN. Secretary Hongkong, 29th February, 1932.

LISTEN-IN

Z.B. VV

9.30 To-night.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT. No. S. 76 .- It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in triplicate. which should be clearly marked "Tender for Kowloon' Quary Lot No. 16," will be received at the | Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of Monday, the 7th day of March, 1932, for the occupation Floor, on Wednesday, the 23rd day the 31st day of March, 1932, at for a period commencing from the of March, 1932, at 12 Noon to Noon, for the purpose of receiving date of notification of acceptance of tender and ending on 31st December, 1934, of the piece or parcel of ground at Tai Kok Tau as shown coloured red on a plan signed by the Director of Public Works and dated 15th February. 1932, and subject to the conditions which can be ascertained at the office of the Director of Public

> Works. Upset annual fee \$450 per

Each tender must be accompanied by a receipt to the effect that the tenderer has deposited in the Colonial Treasury a sum of Forty-third Ordinary Yearly Meet-\$250 as a pledge of the bona fides; of his offer, which sum shall be Offices, P. and O. Building, on March 4th and March 11th und on forfeited to the Crown in the Wednesday, 23rd March, 1932 at event of the tenderer, whose tender is accepted, refusing to carry out the terms and conditions of his tender.

> On the acceptance of a tender the deposits of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them Form of tender and further particulars can be obtained from the office of the Director of Public

Works, The Government does not bind itself to accept the highest or any i

tender. HAROLD T. CREASY. Director of Public Works, Hongkong, 19th February, 1932.

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The Institute will re-open on Friday, March 4th. Provision will be made for instruction in English Literature, Commercial Physics. keeping. Hygiene, Pedagogy.

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FIFTEEN PEOPLE INJURED IN BULGARIA.

Rustchuks, Bulgaria, Mar. 1. Fifteen people were injured, including several children, when

cinema show here. the spectators were trapped in the evening. The occasion is the gallery, and had to jump over to carnival ball which is being held escape the flames. The two film at the Peninsula Hotel from 9 p.m. operators fled, but were later / to 2 a.m. arrested, together with the A thoroughly enjoyable time is manager .- Reuter's Special Ser-

COMPANY REPORT. GREEN ISLAND CEMENT

Subject to audit, the Directors of the Green Island Coment Company, Ltd. will at the forthcoming meeting of shareholders, to be held on Thursday, March 81, next, recommend the following allocation of profits: To pay a dividend of 45

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cents per share on the To pay a dividend of 6 cents per share on the

S.P.C.A. CARNIVAL BALL

(Due San Francisco, 1st April)

Reg., Mar. 7. 5 p.m.

Letters, Mar. 8, 830 a.m.

ENJOYABLE FUNCTION FOR FRIDAY.

Residents of the Colony have panic-stricken spectators jumped an opportunity on Friday of help-from the gallery to the pit, following a most deserving cause, the ing the outbreak of a fire at a Society for the Prevention of Crucky to Animals, and at the The fire spread so rapidly that same time enjoying a most happy

> assured all patrons, a feature being the prize competition for fancy costumes. also be served.

Tickets, \$7.50 each, may be obtained from the Peninsula Hotel Messrs. Moutrie and Co., the Anderson Music Co., the Tsang Fock Piano Co., and Thomson and Co. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance. 3.

To place to general reserve, 100,000.00 To place to reserve for staff passages 10,000.00 To carry forward to credit of next year's account 99,848.88

WHE LOCAL BY-LAWS NOW EXTENDED.

A meeting of the Sanitary Board held yesterday under the Chairmanship of the President (Mr. G. R. Sayer), passed a resolution extending the anti-spitting regulations—originally applied to Ent-ing-Houses only—to other premises where contact with food sold to the public is thought possible.

The Chairman, pursuant to notice, moved the following:

"That the Board does approve the introduction forthwith of bylaws (or conditions of grant) as circulated in regard to spitting in each and all of the following premises licensed or registered by the Board namely-

- (i) Premises specially licensed under Section 78 for the sale of food usually sold in a market.
- (ii) Aerated water factories. (iii) Bake-houses.
- (iv) Food-preserving establishments.
- (v) Dairies.
- (vi) Public Laundries.

The Chairman said that those of them who were present when the Board introduced the by-laws regulating spitting in eating houses would remember that in seconding. Mr. Chau had suggested that they should make similar regulations in respect of all premises controlled by the Board. This proposal to give effect to that suggestion, due to the customary modesty of Mr. Chau, was being moved by him (the Chairman).

Continuing, the Chairman said that there were certain differences. in detail which differentiated the premises on the list from eating houses. Eating houses were places. of public resort. He also recollected Mr. Chau's argument that they were nothing more or loss than the poor man's dining table. Members would find that none of the places on this list could be said to be places of public resort. Nevertheless, it could also be found that spitting in one or other of them was injurious to health. and it appeared to him appropriate that these different premises should come under the same regulations, and spitting therein restricted. Substantially, the arguments were precisely the same as the arguments for the by-laws which had received the attention of this Board and which with the assent of the Legislative Council had become law.

The Tuberculosis Evil.

The Chairman referred to the serious incidence of tuberculosis in the Colony and stressed the desirability of introducing such regulations as one means of eradicating the discase.

Hon, Mr. T. N. Chau expressed his pleasure at the promptness John S. Phipps, driving from with which his suggestion had Casa Bendita, had on a sun yelbeen taken up by the President of the Board, and quoted certain portions of the speech made by Dr. Li Shu-fan at the Rotary Club meeting that afternoon as being appropriate to the occasion.

Mr. M. K. Lo associated himself with the remarks of the Chairman and of Hon. Mr. Chau.

The proposition was passed by the meeting.

Those present included the President, Mr. G. R. Sayer, Vice-President, Hon. Mr. H. T. Creasy, the Medical Officer of Health, Dr. G. W. Pope, Mr. Wong Kwong-tin. Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau, Mr. M. K. Lo, Dr. R. A. Castro Basto, Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy, Mr. J. H. Gelling (Socretary), and Mr. Ng Mui-kai · (Assistant Secretary).

week ended last Saturday shows that there were soven fatal cases of smallpox, ten cases of diphtherin, three of hollyhocks, tulips, and hydrangeas leather, the case matches the mininwhich were fatal, six of enteric fever There were 38 deaths from pulmonary about half-way up. The set is the mirror. The mirror fits into a shape, will hold six folding shoes are reminiscent of mules, for tuberculosis. Two cases of small-pox, designed on modern lines, with pouch, which contains also the hangers of enamelled wood, and a they are cut away in the centre of two of diphtheria and one of enteric square coffee or tea pots, and un-comb, and in front of this are two small clothes brush is packed at the foot, with a wide guard for the fever were reported on Monday.

WOMEN'S WORLD

FOR OUR LADY READERS.

SOME AMERICAN SOCIETY LADIES SEEN



On The Palm Beach Scene... Fashionables whose names are written large in the Social Register are shown (left to right) as the appeared before the camera's eye: Mrs. Deering Howe, Mrs. R. Amcotts Wilson, Mrs. Leonard Thomas, Mrs. Harrison Williams and Mrs. J. Gordon Douglas. Below Exclusive Sea Spray Beach.

| By Betsy Schuyler. |

the nobility and gelebrities are jacket of soft rose tone over and four of the handsomest wear. Mrs. Harrison Williams riving and the clothes everybody white,

leather belt that matched up her Howeved short-sleeved jacket. Mrs. low pleated silk frock, with next flannel jacket of the same yellow | topping it.

fabric vogue a good break, Mrs. Gordon Douglas topped her handfagotted white crepe frock with a neat brown knitted jacket with high-waisted effect gained through a wide self-belt and flaring little short sleeves. She wore a brown and white figured scarf fied in a bow in front and brown and white T-strapped sandals.

In the Rose Pink of Fashion. Pastels are fashionable, with rose pink a favourite.

ATTRACTIVE BREAKFAST

SETS.

Deering Howe looked sweet the joutstanding among which was the | Pull-overs Go on Dress Parade. day she drave down to see the back crepe worn by Mrs. John M. The acene is growing much races at Hinlenh Park, Miami, Rutherford, which was most inmore colourful, both in regard to with a double-breasted angora tricately cut, with low decolletage smart for all kinds of dressier At the opening of the Florida shoulders. One lovely white and white striped pull-over with

Embassy Club, this resort's smart gown, worn by Mrs. George War- three-quarters sleeves and a crew Phipps were a wide crimson patent rendezvous, every Social Registern Fuller, had a scrumptuous neck, atop a beautifully tailored trite dressed up in scintillating sash bow of cherry red velvet and white flannel skirt. A polkaclothes to dance in the Arabian was topped by a long, smart cont dotted scarf of red and white Night's setting of coloured, float- of the same velvet. ing balloons, sweet flowers and | They're wearing perfectly gor- | Brimmed hats are coming into soft but snappy music.

Mrs. Charles Minot Amory wore Everglades Club. White swimming Old Man Florida Sun. Mrs. R. white, with crossed straps of bril- suits have the vote for real swim- Aments Wilson, scoring her It's the nacket that makes the liants, and a long, fitted coat, ming, but handsome pyjamas favourite horses at the Miami Alice Delamar were creamy crepe concret to sit on the sands. Mrs. races, were a white panama two are alike. Giving the knitted romain, with the bodice all a- John Gaston wears a gorgeous medium brim and little band of Mr. Richard Barthelmess, noted it's not so cold, or when there's no sparkle and a fitted matching coat bright blue outfit, full trousers, colour and, golfing, that came to ankle length, cut in pull-on top and a huge floppy hat brimmed felts of menchalant many gores with all of them left made of celophane, all shiny and mood, in pastel colours. open for about a foot from the becoming. For a little variety bottom, looked lovely in black and also to emphasize this red satin with a most unusual de- white-and-blue season that the everywhere, daytime and evening. colletage, with the low bodice and Washington 200th anniversary is The Princess Anna Hynski, wife the high cut back all of brilliants. in roducing, Mrs. Leonard Thomas of Prince Dmitri, wears them Mrs. Gail Grant was very smart wears a suit of blue pyjamas, con- both daytime and evening, but it in pale blue with narrow, double trasted with red and white stripes is only at the beach that you see shoulder straps that crossed this and on one foot a red and white her lacquered toenails. Smartly | way and that over her back.

There were many dark gowns, la blue and white striped one.

FEMININE WRITING CASE.

A small writing set which will diseases in the Colony during the for breakfast or ten sets is most as a tiny vanity case, for it con- the new folding clothes hangers for picnics are very tiring and cause Some of the newest floral china appeal to any woman also serves attractive. One set in cream and tains a mirror, comb, and space for for travelling purposes, and usepale blue china has clusters of powder puff. Made of pale blue ful little leather cases may now base of each piece and reaching are fitted into slots at the back of necessities. The cases, square in heels attached to the back. The Ispaces for carrying stamps.

TRAVELLING CLOTHES HANGERS.

jewelled clips entching it at the

geous pyjamas at the exclusive their own under the hot rays of

be obtained for containing these this trouble for they have low cork

stripped sandal, and on the other dressed women are wearing hosiery for evenings.

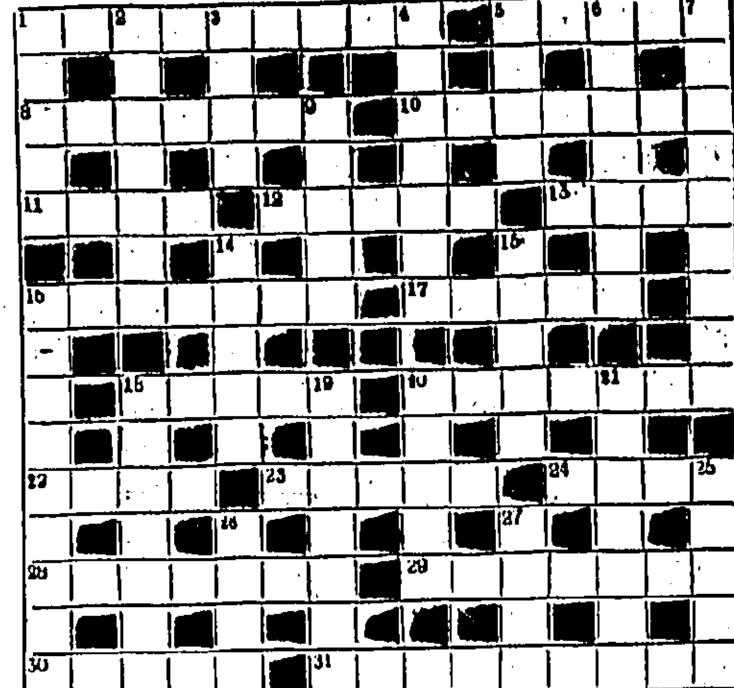
SANDALS WITH HEELS.

Open-toed sandals are seen

Pull-overs are tremendously

Many women find that the heei-Many women are making use of less shoes for wear on the beach or The new shoes of canvas, with thick cork soles, do away with

BRITISH CROSSWORDS.



- You are "in a pet, Tim." Don't be in such a hurry, lad (anag.). i I stand, in a way, behind it in
- a recognised place. 8 Here is a case in which part of a circle is involved, and a dead body is concerned. 10 The cut of this vegetable sug-
- gests a tailor's shop. 11 Developed to the utmost in a
- 12 Apprehensions due to a serf. 1 -. 13 Bob it for a horse. 16 Simple and natural, and still less
- with art. 17 What a devil!
- 18 May be pulled for preferment. or sent over them. 20 Gain.
- 22 You will find this nasty old Roman sheltering near the mouth of the Thames.
- 23 One certainly does get sick of. this fish before it's anished. 24 The doctor winds up voiceless. 28 Take a journey by permission
- for one of three. 20 This licence may be extended to almost anyone.
- 30 Put a rope through a hole and leave the steward where he is. 31 Place a 'precious stone beyond the beds. This is quite an art-

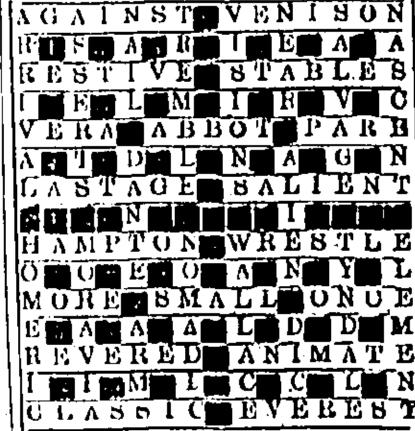
ful scheme.

- 1 Contract. 2 It runs over the bridge and is in a temper about quite a small
- 3 Not venomous, whatever Shakespeare may say. 4 Though entirely a matter of red
- tape, it does come to the point eventually. 5 Getting the bird's rather a
- 6 "Did this bottle-hair-oil, mum-

- "I wondered why couldn't take my cap off." 7 Though not necessarily service, there is something distinctly flexible about this humble peti-
- tioner. 9 Seven makes this smooth. 114 He may be a goner at any time -not fair at all.
- 15 Am facing an object to alter for the better. 16 Think of carpets. 18 Sensible persons do not second the first, no matter how threa-
- tening it is. 19 Fairies. 20 Conducted beyond a certain degree, as when water is taken
- 21 Crimp to which the blackbird is nddicted.
- 25 Indian lady of high rank. 26 There's nothing in the beer to make it so bitter. 27 Fatal to Irishmen, though Scotsmen walk in the middle of it

unharmed.

Yesterday's Solution.



NOTED FILM STAR LEAVES.

RICHARD BARTHELMESS LIKES HONGKONG.

ing Hongkong, after the delightful Europe. week we have spent here," said Hongkong" he said, "perhaps when board the steamer D'Artagnan, here. Repulse Bay we consider prior to his departure yesterday especially delightful. We went to for Saigon. "Hongkong is truly Canton during the week-end and delightful, and the people here must be back in Hollywood by have been wonderful to us."

holiday in Hongkong for the past; yet."

week, with his charming wife, the former Miss Jessica Sargent, of New York society. He left yesterday afternoon by the M.M. liner D'Artagnan for Saigon. From Salgon, Mr. and Mrs. Barthelmess will motor to Bangkok, and after spending a short holiday in Siam, "I feel a little homesick at leav- will return to Hollywood via

"Some day I'm coming back to both really had a wonderful time nlso found it very interesting. I April to commence production

Mr. Barthelmess, who is one of again with Warner Brothers, the leading motion picture stars in otherwise I'm afraid we wouldn't Hollywood, has been spending a be leaving Hongkong for a while

COMING SHORTLY TO THE QUEEN'S



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

OVER THIS TOWN AN I HAVEN'T SEEN LIKE THE KIDS WERE TALKIN



By Blosser

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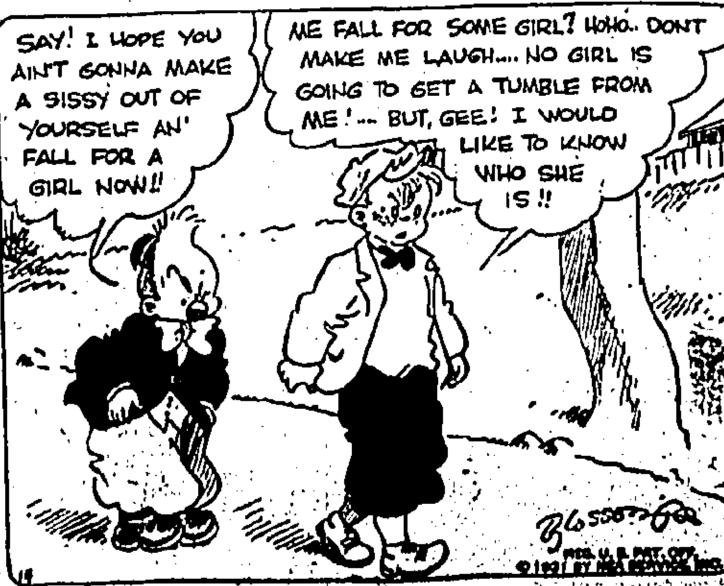
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L DON'T GO MYSELF UP

as such, has nothing whatever to

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Ujongkong Telegraph.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2, 1932.

BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE ON MANCHURIA.

Although the Manchurian Issue has faded somewhat into the background since the grave developments broke out'in Shanghai. is one which still remains to be faced. Let it not be forgotten that it was Japan's action in this territory which led to the arousing of Chinese national feeling and which has since developed into the crisis in Shanghai. The League Commission of Inquiry into the origin of the trouble has at long last arrived in the East, only to find a vastly different sitnation from that which existed at the time it was appointed. A new State has been created, thus apparently severing the link with Chinn. The full extent of Japan's connexion with this development has not been revealed as yet, but enough is known to warrant our regarding this newly-created organ as something vitally different | degree of modification from across from these recurring independence the Atlantic it was only being true movements with which we have to its own traditions. Moreover.

The British official attitude on portations into modern British | Manchurian developments may be | speech, supposedly characterisquite correct in, some senses, Itically American, are in reality since, as a member of the League. merely restorations in former Britain must regard the issue as English usage. "I guess" is good being sub judice for the time being. | Chaucerian English. Similarly re-None the less, there does appear to be a strange willingness on the part of the Government to accept In 1826 Miss Mitford wrote that all Japan's assurances, even when | "Society has been progressing (if these are belied by actions. But I may borrow that expressive while Britain has her obligations Americanism) at a very rapid rate. as a member of the League, she The use of "progress" as a verb is also a signatory to the Nine- was quite common in England in Power Treaty, which guarantees the sixteenth century, and even respect for China's territorial in- later, and, thanks to American integrity. Captain Eden, Under- fluence, has again become so. Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in This transatlantic restoration of commenting on this fact in the old words and expressions that House of Commons on Monday, ne- Britain has herself forgotten is serted that the British Govern- made possible by the fact that in ment is certainly not prepared to the United States the printed form ace the terms of the Trenty flouted, is a much more important criteradding that in face of Japan's ausurances, he did not see any re :son for assuming that anything of varying pronounciation and usage the kind is likely. In view of of educated persons furnish the what has transpired in Manchuria, chief standard of apeech. Thus this implicit faith in Japan's as- in Britain words drop into oblisurances can only be described as vion with the passing fashions, surprising. There is no question but, since the printed expression here of awaiting the League Com- is a comparatively enduring thing, mission's report, since the League, the speech of lands where, like

do with the Nine-Power Treaty. We have, on a previous occasion, pointed out that there are no "if. or "buts" about the provisions of this Treaty, nothing which can excuse any of the contracting parties for taking aggressive action for defensive purposes. The pledge which Japan gave under the Treaty, in common with the other signatories, is quite unambiguous. It is to respect "the sovereignty, independence and territorial and administrative independence of China." When Japan invaded the territory of Man- Friday. churin some months back, she obviously did so in contravention of that pledge. The fact that she has, on several occasions since then, declared that she has no territorial ambitions and does not intend to interfere either with the Hongkong on the 17th March. principles of the Open Door or

with the provisions of the Nine-

Power Treaty, is neither here nor

pledge has been broken. No mere

re-affirmation of her pledges can

change that fac.; nor do we need

any Commission of Inquiry to establish the point. If surprise be occasioned over the British Government's attitude on this point, it is equally difficult to understand the viewpoint taken over the creation of the new State in Manchuria. We are told by Government spokesmen that Japan is no more likely to recognise this | March 31, next at noon. new State than any other Power is. Surely this is not meant to be seriously taken. The change in Manchurin has long been foresend as part and parcel of Japan's plans there. It is, as we remarked in opening, something quite distinct from those periodical "splits" which have characterised China's history in the past two or three has been set up, with Japan still very much in the picture, and it will be surprising if the League Commission does not get to the bottom of the facts. In any case, Iapan's occupation of the territory before it acquired its new status represented a breach of her

The American and English

undertakings under the Nine-

Power Treaty. The same can be

said of her later actions at Shang-

hai. In reading the daily tale of

happenings, it is well that we

should occasionally get back to

The London Times in an extract from one of its issues of a hundred years ago, recently drew attention to the fact that it is just about a century ago that American influence upon British speech first became noticeable. And very unpopular that influence seems to have been! Mrs. Trollope remarked superciliously that the difference between English and American phrases was so great that Americans were convinced the English could not speak their own language properly. This, of course, was a little foolish. One of the main factors in the strength and expressiveness of English speech is the facility with which it has always been ready to absort new idioms, phrases, words, and Hocutions. In submitting to some become familiar in recent years. It is well known that many in-

garding the earliest known Americanism in the English language ion of correctness than it is in England, where the constantly

DAY BY DAY

THE PROSPERITY OF ENGLAND MAINLY DEPENDS UPON ITS RELA-TIONS WITH AMERICA, AND IN PRO-PORTION AS THE ENERGIES OF AMERICA ARE DEVELOPED AND HER ED.—Disraeli.

The P. and O. s.s. Soudan, from Shanghai, is due here at 6 a.m.

H.M.S. Vindictive has left Plymouth for Hongkong, carrying naval reliefs for the China Station.

on the 27th February and is due at

The annual general meeting of the Victoria Diocesan and Missionary sant. there. The vital point is that the Association, Hongkong, will be held at the Cathedral Hall on Friday, March 4, at 5.15 p.m.

> Blanket, of the s.s. Tjibadak, states shion-but all human relation- existent are themselves unfit son ransacked his cabin whilst the ships are more or less self-seeking, have a friend. that during Monday night some pership was in harbour, but nothing was The highfalutin, disinterested, usstolen or damaged.

The Green Island Cement Co., Ltd., advertise that the adrd ordinary annual meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the Company. Exchange Building, on Thursday,

The certificate and prize giving of the Chun Shing Typewriting School will be held in the hall of the Hop Yat Church, 2, Bonham Road, on Friday, March 4th., at 7 p.m. Mr. Ho Sal-yu will distribute the awards.

Said to have been assaulted by her husband, Wong Tong, a married woman, of 12, Pokfulam Road, first floor, was removed to the Government decades. A puppet Government Civil Hospital suffering from injuries to her head. The husband has since absconded.

> Sir Newton John Stabb, O.B.E., of Saxmundham, Suffolk, joint manager, London branch, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, who died on December 1, aged 62, left the end estate of the gross value of £80,014, with net personalty £39,150.

SUGAR MARKET.

THE LATEST CABLED. QUOTATIONS.

. The following cable at the close. of the augar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pentreath and Co.

London Terminals.

March 1933 7/1/2 up 2d. May 1932 6/31/2 up 21/4d. August 1932 6/61/2 up 2d. December 1932 6/91/2 up 2d. Buyers at above prices, sellers asking ¼d-1/2d more.

New York Terminals.

March 1932 .81 down 4 pts. May 1932 .89 down 5 pts. July 1932 96 down 3 pts. September 1932 1.02 down 4 pts. December 1932 1.08 down 3 pts.

the United States, it exercises an influence upon conversation has in this respect an element of permanence that English English sometimes lacks.

IS FRIENDSHIP

By MARGERY SELFISH?

"No such thing as friendship." | . . . then I marvel at and WAS startled, one day at lunch the frame of mind that did RESOURCES STRENGTHENED, WILL in the country with some the pathetic statement that be the pathetic statement that the pathetic sta dle-aged, hard-riding, well-bred, made it could be led to realist not-too-intelligent but eminently colossal mistake! typical squireen of the district. 1 | Naturally friendship—the asked him to explain himself, loyal, sterling reality—is

tive it was correct. "Friendship," he said, "is merely a figment of the imagination. Friendship—the sort of friendship The Empress of Asia left Vancouver people like you novelists describe -simply does not exist, and you ought not to write about it in so exaggerated a fashion. Acquain-

"Never Trust Anybody."

course, and the association of have not found love are themselve people with similar tastes who unlovable, and those who declar In a report to the police, Capt. J. J. like each other after a mild fa- such a thing as friendship not selfish sort of friendship that will sacrifice itself for another person is simply a figment of you sentimentalists' imagination.

want you for is to make use of you. ford to smile. If you want and if you let them into your life friendship-as if you want love-

with cries of dissent, and stories willing to back up your friend; of lifelong and loyal friendships to serve and help him, to try to were instantly hurled at his head. save him from his own follies, yet But he stuck to his opinion that stand by him all the same if he all these were merely associations disregards your advice. between two people who had found the association worth while, either chances, his rights when he is not from a business, personal, or so- there to defend himself; to share cial standpoint.

ed several friendships of my own trespasses against you as you that could not be described as seif- hope he forgives you yours-show seeking, that had endured the test me a man or woman who will do of years and looked like enduring these things and I will wager many more, he smiled and as- they have the finest and truest sured me that I was merely lucky friends in the world. in that the day of my disillusion-

and when, on making in and never will know. quiries among various other Friendship an illusion? It is own turn.

Loyalty.

Life is such a tangled skein that all sorts of things seem sometimes to-combine-to-force-one-into-unfortunate positions, into actions or speeches that may be and often are misconstrued . . . so I have always tried to think there mich be an innocent explanation for the various disillusionments that, common with the rest of humanity, I have suffered at times over cer tain people I once regarded as friends, and left it at that.

But when I count up the fine and loyal and splendid friends I possess, both men and women. none of whom stood to gain ary thing by their friendship with maand who have, indeed, several of them, suffered for that friendship

thinking that he was merely jok- found easily nor frequently, ing, but he emphasised his state more than a dlamond miner f ment and assured me he was post the Koh-i-Nor every day, or o any diamonds at all . further, to deserve real frie one must be prepared to be a s friend oneself.

I am tempted to ask my wort huilting friend whether he hims deserves that priceless and we derful possession—a real frientanceship-yes, amusing or plea- People who deny the existence unselfishness or kindness c loyalty in the world are, I have found, generally themselves selfis "There is love in the world, of and unkind people—those the

Suffer For It.

Therefore they do not find one And therein lies the reason for their cynicism, at which we who "Never trust anybody. All they know what friendship is can afso that they can you're a fool!" you must be prepared to suffer for This declaration was greeted it, if necessary! You must be

To defend his good name, his good fortune with him and com-And when I triumphantly quot- fort him in bad, to forgive him his

But show me anyone mean, susment had not yet dawned. I picious, selfish-unwilling, thereshould get let down all right in fore unworthy, to play the part of friend-and I suggest that it is The profound cynicism of this that person's own fault that he point of view astounded me-does not know what friendship is,

acquaintances of mine, I discover- the very foundation of truth, on ed that this view was held by the contrary, and I believe lies at quite a number of people, my as- the root of all lasting and selfiess tonishment increased still further. loves. I believe that the most It is obviously true that one is valuable facet of the love between always, as one goes through life, man and woman is the facet of liable to be "let down" by various friendship—far and away above people whom one regards, as the magical facet of passion, beaufriends, but against that one must tiful and right as this is in its set the fact that one has doubtless proper place . . . which I do not likewise "let down" people in one's believe to be an all-supreme one. despite those that accuse "women novelists" of being obsessed by sex to the exclusion of all else!

Basis of Happiness.

If I had to drop one thing out of the myriad things that interest me in the man I love I would drop the purely sexual—for this reason: The man I love is important to me first and foremost as my friend t is easy enough to find a lover, but how difficult to find a friend!

It is the friendship side of marringe, I believe, that is the most valuable . . . One is far more likely to spend a happy life with a person whose tastes, ways, ideas, suit one completely, upon whom one can utterly depend for loyalty, for affection and consideration, than with a man whose main attraction

is a purely passionate one. That is bound, after a while, to fade and flicker out-but a love based on the rock-foundation of mutual understanding, affection. friendship, merely waxes more solid and substantial with the years, until neither age, misfortune, nor death itself can make any difference to it.

EXCHANGE MARKET LIFELESS.

NO CHANGE IN THE DOLLAR.

Conditions on the local exchange market remain unaltered, with practically nothing doing

The dollar is unchanged. In London, silver was unchanged for spot and up 1/16th forward. China bought and sold on a market which was quietly stendy. After the official fixing, the market remained quietly steady, with America more inclin-

ed to buy than sell. New Yorw reports silver down on a steady market. Futures are down half a point, with the market easy. -

Members of the St. Patrick's Sq-clety and friends are invited to attend the practice dances which are to be held at the Helena May Institute on the 4th, 11th and 14th inst.

The rainfall registered at the Botanie Gardens during February totalled 2.75 inches, There were in all eighteen rainless dayso.



"It certainly makes our lunch hour shorter to have to travel so far."

ACCEPT JAPANESE GENEVA PLAN.

CHINESE DEMAND TO FIGHTING.

ATTITUDE IN WORLD'S CAPITALS.

Geneva, Mar. 1. The Japanese Government's acceptance of M. Paul Boncour's proposals for ending the strife in Shanghai, the main feature of which is the creation of an international conference on the spot, were received at Geneva this evening and forthwith communicated by Mr. yearly distributions. Matsudaira to Sir John Simon and Mr. Sato to M. Bon-

Sir John Simon urged upon Mr. Matsudaira the necessity for immediately stopping hostilities if M. Boncour's proposals were to be of any value, and the Ambassador to Britain promised to do his utmost to preceding year, after providing King's Parade, 168; Maple Leaf, 161; secure a cessation of the fighting.—Reuter.

HOPEFUL FEELING IN

WASHINGTON.

JAPAN WANTS A SIGNED

DOCUMENT.

Nanking Dallies.

W. W. Yen, at Geneva yesterday,

VATICAN PLEASED

POPE'S MESSAGE OF

BENEDICTION.

The Osservatore Romano, the

ing the steps taken towards the

re-establishment of peace "in the

Far East, pointing out that this

Pope's message of benediction on

BELGIUM'S STAND.

UPHOLDING SANCTITY

OF TREATIES.

to associate Belgium as a signa-

would join other Powers signa-

ments .- Reuter.

Brussels, Mar. 1.

evening, declared that Belgium mer season of 1933.

loccurred immediately after the

Japan and China .- Reuter.

Vatican City, Mar. 1.

Washington, Mar. 1.

"CEASE FIRE!" DEMAND.

CHINESE ATTITUDE AT GENEVA.

Geneva, Mar. 1. of the League Council states that Shanghai peace developments, a \$50,000; to carry forward to New Japan fully and gladly accepts hopeful atmosphere prevails at the Account, \$12,697.52; and I trust the terms of the plan submitted White House and the State this recommendation will meet Department. yesterday.

The spokesman of the Chinese The Japanese Government have delegation states that Chinese ac- notified Mr. Debuchi, their Amceptance of M. Paul Boncour's bassador in Washington, that they proposals has been communicated have accepted in principle the to the representatives of the Geneva proposals for an armistice derived as a result of the opera-Powers in Shanghai.

ceived instructions but it is not authorities will be continued in making any communication to the Shanghai for the preparation of the profit for the year of \$170,-League Secretariat until there has the actual document which must been a cessation of hostilities -- be signed before hostilities can be stopped. Reuter and British Wireless.

FRENCH ATTITUDE. **OPTIMISM WITH** PRUDENCE.

Paris, Mar. 1. Optimism, tempered with prudence, is the dominant note regarding the peace negotiations in the behalf of Chima.—Reuter. Far East.

It is felt that Japan particularly has a golden opportunity to provethe sincerity of her declaration that she has no territorial designs in Shanghai.

The well-known newspaper. Le Temps, says that it is precisely because Japan is one of the principal political world forces that her permanent collaboration with other Powers is regarded as an essential factor in the organisation of peace.-Reuter.

HOPES FROM "KENT PARLEY.

STATEMENT IN HOUSE OF COMMONS.

London, Mar. 1. Referring in a Parliamentary answer to-day to the proposals for the cessation of hostilities formulated at Shanghai as a result of the conversations on the British flagship, H.M.S. Kent the Under-Secretary Affairs, Captain Eden, said

agreement. He added that of the Japanese reinforcements which had been arriving in the Shanghai area recently, only reliefs had been landed in the Settlement.

they may from a basis for an

Regarding the remainder of such troops, the Japanese Minister for Foreign Affairs had stated that although Japan had the right to land troops in the Settlement and to the Government's declaration and Trust Company, have decided to anchor ships of war in their present counting on the Belgian delegates abandon the policy of distributing position, she was carnestly desir- to the special League Assembly interim dividends. It is felt that ous of minimising the langer to the meeting to assure respect for Settlement and foreign interests, treaties and international engageand that accordingly the military and naval authorities had decided to give the matter as favourable

to-day after a brief visit to Nanconsideration as possible. He mentioned that the British king, undertaken for the purpose Minister in China Sir Miles Lamp- of consulation with the Chinese son, was returning to Shanghail authorities .- British Wireless.

REALTY COMPANY MEETING:

REPULSE BAY SCHEME POSITION.

HOPES FOR 1933.

meeting of the Hongkong Realty noon to-day, Mr. E. M. Raymond Government in regard to the Repulse Bay development scheme. and, if brought to a satisfactory conclusion, the Company hopes to provide the amenities for the summer season of 1933.

Company's business is purely that of an investment trust company, it is intended to confine dividend payments in future to Hoy, 149; Speedy, 100; Sunbella, 152; Tho Rainstorm, 168; The Slump, 158; Pany, it is intended to confine dividend payments in future to Hall, 155; Vim. 161; White Label, dividend payments in future to

Chairman's Speech.

The Chairman, after having The profit for the year under re- Deveron, 161; Don, 155; Festival Eve, view, including the sum of \$12,- 155; Gold Ring, 161; Iloilo, 158; Just 267.95 brought forward from the Imagine, 161; King's Norton, 161; \$8,891,25 for depreciation, amounted to \$182,697.52. The interim dividend of \$60,000 paid on the 1st September, 1931, reduces the profit available for appropriation to Toby, 158; Tommy Boy, 158; Wembly \$122,697.52, which your Directors Stng, 161; Winkie, 158. recommend apportioning as follows: -- To pay a final dividend of 30 cents per share, \$60,000; to A letter handed to the President | As a result of the Geneva and transfer to General Reserve, with your approval.

You will note from a persual of the Profit and Loss Account that almost the whole of the revenue during the year under review was and that negotiations between tions of the Company within the The Chinese delegation has re- the Chinese and Japanese military sphere of its envestment trust business; in the circumstances, 429,57, the highest in the history of the Company, can, I venture to think, be regarded as satisfactory. The Repulse Bay properties remained unproductive. The Nanking Government, in- revenue in the course of the year amounting to \$2,700 only, whilst. cidentally, has not yet advised the in addition to the maintenance ex-Chinese Charge d'Affaires of their penses incurred the major portion acceptance of the Geneva armistice of the Depreciation provision of terms, but it is believed that this \$8,891.25 was in respect of the approval will be forthcoming, Mr. Bungalows there situated.

"Second Mortgage on Exchange 149. Building" has been eliminated. the amount of \$650,000 having been retired during September. John, 155; Gallant Fox, 158; Gay Fox, 1931. Investments at cost, name- 152; Gee Gee, 152; Hirwego, 155; ly, \$2,338,418.06. show a consi- Huggo, 155; Jupiter, 158; Mausie, derable increase over the figure 152; Prospero, 155; Public Money, balance sheet and it is gratifying Vatican organ, notes with rejoicing to report that, despite the decline that success is apparently attendin the values of local market securities experienced in the autumn of last year, the market quotations on the 31st December, 1931, shewed an accretion upon the book

> Repulse Bay Scheme. With reference to the projected outlined in the Chairman's speech | 140.

last year. I regret my inability, at the moment, to furnish shareholders with definite information thereon: negotiations with Replying to an interpellation by Government are still proceeding, M. Vandervelde on the steps taken and in the event of these being brought to a satisfactory conclutory of the Nine-Power Treaty sion, it is anticipated that the with the efforts of other govern- Company will be in a position to ments to end the Sino-Japanese proceed with the necessary work conflict, the Prime Minister, M. in order to have the required Renkin, in the Chamber this amenities available for the sum-

Before concluding my remarks, tories to the Pact of Paris to I am desirous of making reference maintain the prestige of the to the matter of dividends in res-League of Nations and to smooth | pect of which, your Board, having out the difficulties in the Far regard to the altered status under which the Company is at present The Chamber later unanimously operating, the business conducted passed an Order of the Day noting | being purely that of an Investment whereas profits might be satisfactory in the first half of any one year, there would exist, per contra, the possibility of securities depreciating to such an extent in the second part of the same financial year as to render necessary the utilisation of any accrued credit balance. Accordingly, it is intended, in future, to confine payments as regarded dividends l to annual distributions, a policy

of Articles 95 (a) of the Company's Articles of Association appearing to call for comment I N. V. A. Croucher and unanimous-Shareholders of the Hongkong and substituting therefor the now formally propose that the Report of the Directors and the Accounts for the financial year ended 31st. December, 1931, as presented, be adopted, and that the following appropriations re-Addressing the shareholders, J. Paterson (Chairman), Sir commended by your Directors be Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson (Chair- Robert Ho Tung, Messrs. T. E. carried into effect:-Pay a final dividend of 30 cents per share. Extraordniary General Meeting Compton and A. H. White (Direc. 860,000; transfer to General Reheld on February 16 the proposal tors), L. S. Greenhill (Secretary) serve, \$50,000; carry forward to Now Account, \$12,697.52; and I F. C. Barry (Secretary). shall be obliged if a Shareholder will kindly second such proposal.

EXTRA RACE MEETING.

HEAVY ENTRIES RECEIVED BY JOCKEY CLUB.

The handicaps and distribution of weights for the First Extra Race Meeting which will be contested at the coming Saturday in Happy Valley will be found printed in full below:

The "Hay and Corn" Stakes: five furlongs: Amoy, 152; Banjolins, 161; Presiding at the annual general Bay of Bellingham II, 152; Celerity, 152; City of Shanghai, 156; Dan'l Whiddon, 155; Diplodocus, Estrellita, 155; Fighting, Blood, 158; Friar John, 155; Gallant Fox, 158; Gamester, 158; Ghost Train, 158; Gold Bar, 152; Gold Cup 155; Repulse Bay development scheme, and, if brought to a satisfactory conclusion, the Company hopes to provide the amenities for the lummer season of 1933.

It was announced that as the Roy, 149; Speedy, 155; Sunbeau, 152; The Roy of the Roy of the Roy, 149; Speedy, 155; Sunbeau, 152; The Roy of the 161; Whoopee, 155.

The "Loiterers" Stakes; seven furlonga: Ajax, 161; Alexandra Hall, 158; Amos, 155; Bluelove, 158; Bowery read the auditors' report, said:— Bay, 161; Christmas Joy, 161; read the auditors' report, said:— Coquine, 158; Darkest Eve, 161; Michael Guy, 161; Mon Talisman, 158; Myrtle Leaf, 158; Navy Hall, 158; Poplar Hawk, 155; Punch, 161; Spring Fever, 152; The Gadwall, 161; The Lion, 165; The Shoveller, 158;

> The "All Out" Stakes, six furlongs: Boxing Eve, 152; Cebu, 149; Christmas Belle, 152; Coronation Eve, 158; Crown Prince, 155; Eros, 158; Fritillery, 158; Gold Key, 152; Imperial 152; King's Colour, 155; King's Counsel, 152; King's Norton, 161 King's Parade, 158; King's Service, 158; Marquis Hall, 152; Nippy, 158; Pry, 158; Peppermint, 155; Royal Flush, 149; Sanction, 155; San Francisco, 152; The Plover, 161; The Tiger, 155; Tiana, 155; Toby, 158; Tom, 152; Valorous, 155; White Jade Stag, 161; Wonderful Stag, 152.

The Randwick Plate, one mile: Anniversary Eve, 149; Gold Rush. 149; Jonquin, 152; Manna, 152; Merminid, 152; Retha, 152; Senorita, 152; The Rainbow, 152; The Widegeon, 151; Vestn, 149.

The Tytam Handicap, A Class, 1 mile: Amon, 150; Amoy, 140; Banjolina, 158; Buchanan, 160; Chit Quan, 145; Cy-pres, 165; Dan'l Whid don, 140; Espy, 140; Ghost Train, 144; Gold Bar, 146; Golden Arrow. 150; Helter Skelter, 147; Highlinks, 140; Jimmy, 140; Little Gem, 148 Mistletoe, 140; Much Ado, 140; Path-Turning to balance sheet it finder, 158; Philanderer, 158; Siwash will be observed that the item 158; The Rainstorm, 146; Valley Hall,

The Tytam Handicap, B Class, recorded in the previous year's | 158; Somerset, 158; The Crook, 158; The Shekpan, 149; Trigo, 152; Until Then, 155; Valeta, 161; Vim, 161.

The Hongkong Handicap, A Class, 14 miles: Boxing Eve, 140 Coronation Eve, 156; Cyclamen Bay, 153; Fortune Bay, 147; Gay Crusader 155; Glencagles, 165; Gold Key, 140, Hetman, 158; King's Bounty, 158 King's Justice, 148; Tiana, 140; Valorous, 140; Wild Life, 148; Weybridge, 140; Nippy, 140; Mike, 140; development at Repulse Bay as | Wisdom Stag, 140; Wonderful Stag,

> The Hongkong Handicap, B Class. 165: King's Parade, 153; Darkest Eve, 156: Pennermint, 165: Punch, 140: Royal Flush, 165; The Tiger, 165; White Jade Stng, 146; Workable Stng, 161; Michael Guy, 140; Lobster Bay, Toby, 140; Sanction, 151; Orlando, 168; Imperial Hall, 151; Christmas Belle, 147; Christmas Joy, 147; Esculado, 140; Fi Fa, 140; African Eve, 145; Devon, 140; Morning Star, 149; Chivalrous, 154.

> The Randwick Plate (Second Section) one mile: But After That, 155; Canny, 158; Choy Pak, 158; Gold Digger, 158; Koh-I-Noor, 158; Lucy Glitters, 155; Lung Mui, 158; Palayerer, 158; Taiping, 155; The Baron, 158; The Giraffe, 158; Tin Tac, 158; Westland Stng, 158; Wotin, 158.

The N.Y.K. Yashuni Maru, from London via ports, will arrive a Hongkong on Thursday at daybreak, not on Wednesday, as was

Mr. J. H. de Figueiredo seconded the report which was carried unanimously.

Other Business.

On the proposition of N. V. A. I therefore propose:—"That the with which, I am confident, share- Croucher, seconded by Mr. H. P. Articles of Association of the holders will be in complete accord Suckling, Hon. Sir Shouson Chow

> It was proposed by Mr. P. H. ly agreed that Messrs. Linstead and Davis be auditors of the Company for the ensuing year, this concluding the business.

> Mr. E. M. Raymond was supported by Hon. Sir Shouson Chow, Mr. J. Scott Harston, Mr. John Floming and Mr. P. K. Kwok (Directors), Mr. J. H. Taggart (Managing Director) and Mr.

> Shareholders present were Mosses, N. V. A. Croucher, P. H.

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TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME OF RECORDED MUSIC.

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7.00-10.30 p.m. European Programme of Victor Records.
7.00 p.m. Mail Notice, etc.
7.03-7.35 p.m.

Rosenkavaller (Richard Strauss).
Augmented Tivoli Orchestra conducted by Richard Strauss. 7.35-7.56 p.m.

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Leo Reisman and His Orch. 22836. 171 Always Remember September. I Can Sympathize with You.

Peter Van Steeden and His Orchestra. 22858.

Ted Black and His Orchestra. 22872.

8.00 p.m. (Local Time and Weather Report). 7.56-8.25 p.m. Orchestrni. Apache Dance (Offenbach). La Golondrina (The Swallow)

An Ev'ning in Caroline.

(Serradell). Victor Salon Orchestra. 21055. Pomp and Circumstance (Elgar). Royal Albert Hall Orchestra, 9016. Finlandia (Sibelius).
Royal Albert Hall Orchestra. 2010.

8.25-8.43 p.m. An American in Paris (George Gershwin). Victor Symphony Orchestra with George Gershwin. 35963-35964.

8.43-9.30 p.m. A Concert. Violin Solo-Solo-Humoresque (Tachaikowsky-Kreisler). Violin Solo-Albumblatt-Marquerite (Rachmaninoff-Kreisler).

Fritz Kreisler. 1170. Song-A Dream (Cory-Bartlett). Enrico Caruso (Tenor). 507. Piano Solo-Fantaisio-Impromptu (Chopin). Piano Solo-Caprice (Gluck-Saint-

Harold Bauer. 0546. Song-Oh Could I But Express in Song (Malashkin). Foodor Chaliapin (Bass). 1365. Violin Solo-Dance of the Maidens (Friml-Kreisler).

Vielin Solo-Blue Skies (Berlin-Fritz Kreisler. 1233. Song-Clair de Lune (Moonlight)

Song-Swing Low Sweet Charlot (arr. Burleigh). Dame Nellie Melba (Soprano). 6783. Piano Solo-The Engulfed Cathedral (Debussy) Piano Solo-Mainguena (Lecuona).

Olga Samaroff. 7304. 9.30-9.40 p.m. An Announcement by Dr. Radio of the Radio Service Station. 9.40-10.07 p.m. Concert Waltzes. Gypsy Souvenir (arr. Schaeffer-

Hungarian Flower (Schaeffer-Hungarian Rhapsody Orch. 35929.

Blue Danube Waltz (Johann Strauss) Josef Lhevinne (Pianist). 6840. Voices of Spring (Johann Strauss). Vienna Blood (Johann Strauss). Boston Symphony Orchestra. 6903. 10.07-10.19 p.m. Hawaiian Music.

Hilo Hula. Mokihana. Kane's Hawailan. 21762. Blue Waters. Under The Stars of Havana.

Hilo Hawaiian Orchestra. 21822. 10.19-10:30 p.m. London Board of Trade Letters, and Rugby Press News. 10.30 p.m. Close Down. All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Mesars, Tsang Fook Plane Co.

MAUDE ROYDEN'S PEACE ARMY.

SIR ERIC DRUMMOND UNABLE TO HELP. Geneva, Mar. 1.

Expressing his admiration for the devotion to the cause of peace evinced by Miss Maude Royden, the Rev. Dick Sheppard and the many volunteers who have written to the Lengue offering to serve in a Peace Army in the Far East, Sir Eric Drummond has replied explaining that it is not constitutionally open for him to submit offers to Council, other than upon the formal demand of a State which is a member of the League.—Router.

Approaching Government.

In view of Sir Eric Drummond's reply. Miss Royden now intends to request the British Government to bring the Peace Army's offer officially before the League. Miss Royden said that if the British Government declines they will approach some other government, probably one of the smaller Powers.

They were endeavouring, Miss Royden said, to get the Japanese Christian evangelist, Kagawa, to join the movement.

Six Hundred Volunteers. Mr. Z. T. Koo, secretary of the Chinese Christian Students' Movement, has cabled from America cluding numbers of ex-Service men have already volunteered.—
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Drought percent men was ready volunteered.—
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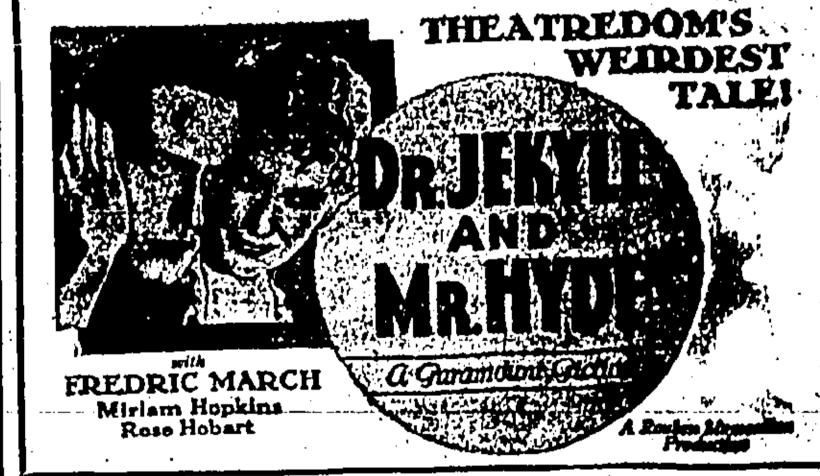
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DOG RACING

NEXT SATURDAY AND SUNDAY MACAU GREYHOUND RACING CLUB.

ARMED ROBBERY SEQUEL.

TEN MEN BEFORE THE MAGISTRATE.

Street on Sunday afternoon, police fendants were members of a gang officers have made several arrests. which was operating in Kowloom No fewer than 10 people were and, he added the police might ask brought before Mr. Fraser at His Worship to have them all comme

Detective Inspector Andrew who is in charge of the case in which two men, alleged to be among the five who carried out the robbery, are charged with armed robbery, appeared for the prosecution in all cases, and applied for a formal remand, intimating In connexion with the armed that he would like to have all the robbery at No. 228, Woosung cases taken together. There was

LAND INVESTMENT MEETING.

SPECIAL RESOLUTION

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adopted at the first meeting and F. Wright jun., and E. Grant whereupon questions as to the re- Suckling, H. J. de Figueiredo and it now needs your confirmation. Smith (shareholders.)

Company be altered in manner fol- having regard to the nature of and Mr. P. K. Kwok were re-elected lowing:—(a) by deleting the the business in which the Com- to the Board of Directors. figures \$10,000 in the third line pany is engaged.

Ltd., this morning confirmed the Mr. W. S. Bailey seconded and resolution changing the Articles the proposal was carried un-

Those present were Hon. Mr. J. man) said:—As explained at the Pearce, Felix A. Joseph, A. H. before you is to increase the and Messrs. W. S. Bailey, H. A. fees payable to your Directors. Rodgers, F. H. Crapnell, A. H. C.

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TENNIS TOURNEY.

SEVERAL TIES DECIDED YESTERDAY.

Only one match in the open singles championship was played yesterday, when Y. V. Segalen and Iu Tak-lam actiled their delayed first-round encounter. In won after a match which want the full distance, the scores being 2-6, 6-3, 6-2 in his favour.

The remainder of the programme was devoted to contests in the Hongkong Cricket. Club Championship several ties in the first round being decided.

The results were:

Open Singles! Iu Tak-lam beat Y. V. Segalea 2-6, in

Club Championship.

D. B. Evans beat V. R. Gordon 6-3,

A. D. Humphreys beat W. Barton, 6-2, 6-3, L. Forster best L. M. S. Lloyd, w.o.

A. H. Raworth bent C. C. Stark 4-6, J. J. Waite bent Scull 6-2, 6-1, TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

Open Singles. R. B. Hambly v W. C. Hung.

Honda v H. Lukring. Open Doubles.

Gray and Wirth v Zimmern and Grone and Chon v Ho and Yew, Sat and Kwok v Taui and Taui,

Lecky and Waite v Cassumbhoy and Rumjahn and Rumjahn v Wong

and Chan. Club Championship. J. J. Barrow v R. R. Todd.

"SIRDAR'S" BRILLIANCE

DEFEATS BODIKER IN STRAIGHT SETS.

Rumjahn, who only the previous Sun- are proportionately heavier. day defeated Leung Tak-kwong in

and the Open Doubles title with U. E. per cent, better than the year position, Mr. W. S. Bailey said :-Watson in the Shameen Champlon- | previous.

from the baseline, but Sirdar was the stendier of the two. He won the pany's activities. first two sets rather easily, but struggle for mastery, each player holding the lend alternately.

LOCAL CRICKET.

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H.K.C.C. TEAMS FOR SATURDAY.

Potter, F. A. M. Elliot, P. W. J. Planner, L. D. Kilbee, R. R. Davies, A. H. Harbord, J. M. Sunley.

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TO-DAY'S MEETING.

annual general meeting this morn-

counts having been in your hands would have to be included in any for the prescribed period I will future negotiations with the S. E. Green bent A. C. I. Bowker, with your permission take them as French Government. bonus of 15 per cent. on their the Empire .- British Wireless.

with your approval. The net profit, including the sum of \$31,418.94 brought forward from last year, amounts to \$666,420.42 which it is proposed to deal with ns follows:-To pay dividend of \$1.50 per share on 250,000 shares, \$375,000; to pay bonus of 25 cts. B. Lo and lu v MacDougall and per share on 250,000 shares, \$62,-500; add to Cattle Reserve, \$100. 1000; add to General Reserve, \$50,-000; add to Fire & Typhoon Insurance Fund, \$10,000; to carry for-

ward, \$68,920.42. Disposal of Investments. in the Profit and Loss Account. The remaining investments are

[cember 31 was \$165,874.08, Making the trip to Canton again penditure amounted to \$634,384,59 carrying a larger stock of ice to on Sunday last, S. A. ("Sirdar") and in consequences writings-off meet the heavy demands during

The Company's reserves under Citizens' Club courts and won after a various heads with the new apgruelling contest in three straight propriations will total \$952,770. I am sure you will agree that the Bodiker, besides having beaten both building up of strong reserves is E. C. Fincher and M. W. Lo in the a sound and necessary policy in a Interport contest, has also won the business such as ours. The very Canton's Singles Championship. It satisfactory working result, I am you, was only last week that he scored a happy to say is due entirely to the and Handicap Men's Singles titles increased turnover which was 30

Having thus briefly dealt with Sirdar's victory is, therefore, a very the accounts I will now refer to meritorious one in view of these the more important developments facts. He won by 6/4, 6/3, 9/7. Both which have been effected in cerplayers indulged in flerce driving tain Departments of the Com-

More Cattle. Bodiker offered a stubborn resistance | The Farm and Dairy Departin the last set which was a ding-dong ments have been maintained at

J. B. Davis, J. A. H. Plummer, L. A. cream particularly as it has been ried forward." found, in many cases, that pas- Mr. Stevenson seconded, and on E. J. R. Mitchell (Captain), A. C. leurized milk was not very well the proposition being carried, Beck, A. Reid, H. J. Armstrong, J. E. received.

Mr. Stewart said that it was inherd to be in a position to meet the Board's efforts were apall requirements this summer. I preciated by the shareholders. am glad to report that the herd

is in excellent health. In order | On the proposal of Mr. S. to accommodate the additions to Hampden Ross, seconded by Mr. SOUTH AFRICANS BEAT NEW cow sheds. The buildings and and Warren were re-elected direc-Christchurch, Mar. 1.

In the first Test Match South
Africa beat New Zealand by an limings and twelve runs. Scores:

| South Africa beat New Zealand by an limings and twelve runs. Scores: | Colony Our Christian Level Christian Lev innings and twelve runs. Scores: experts visiting the Colony, our New Zenland.—1st Innings 293 cattle sheds are second to none in South Africa.—1st Innings 451 clospliness comfort and hygienic (Secretary). A. Stevenson (Mana-New Zealand.—Second Innings ... 461 cleanliness comfort and hygienic (Secretary). A. Stevenson (Mana-

themselves the care and atten- and J. D. Thomson.

FRENCH SURTAX POSITION.

HOW BRITISH GOODS ARE AFFECTED.

London, Mar. 1. The President of the Board of Trade, Mr. Walter Runeiman, replying to a House of Commons A satisfactory working year and additions to its herds and premises were reported by the Chairman (Mr. A. B. Setwart) to share-holders of the Dairy Farm, Ice and Cold Standard Cold Sta Cold Storage Co., Ltd., at the from this impost. He said they had made it clear that their objection to the surtax was one In presenting his report, Mr. of principle, and the question of its Stewart said:—The report and ac- definite removal was one which

rend. Your Directors are pleased An announcement issued re-F. A. Redmond best A. H. McBride, to be able to come before you with garding the Import Duties Act such a satisfactory balance sheet, states that if goods are to be in spite of the difficult times we entitled to exemption from duty have gone through, more particu- on the ground that they are larly in regard to the violently Empire goods, at least twenty-five fluctuating exchange. In view of per cent. of their value must be the very satisfactory result ob. derived from material grown or tained, the staff have been voted a from work done within a part of

anlaries which I feel sure will meet tion devoted to the production of milk and other dairy products. The Secretary will issue special permits to applicants and arrangements will be made to show visitors over the Farm.

Ice and Cold Storage. During the year the town depot alterations were completed as the additional space was urgently needed to meet the requirements of our growing business

and staff. Regarding the Ice and Cold During the year we disposed of Storage Departments, we have most of our investments at fa- during the year under review vourable prices which gave us a added two new freezing stores net profit of \$149,183,65 as shown to our extensive storage accommodation and are in a position to meet all demands for space. valued in our books at \$83,162.08. We have also ordered, and hope to and their market value on De- have in full operation, a further 40-ton ice tank and are construct-During the year capital ex- ing an additional ice store for

> I should like to express thanks and appreciation of Directors and shareholders the management and staff for their loyal and faithful co-operation which has made possible the I satisfactory result now before

Tribute to Directors. Seconding Mr. Stewart's protion of the sound and efficient management of our Company, which is responsible for the excellent returns before us. Our best previous year was 1927, but 1931 is a record of which we and our management may be proud. Our thanks are due to our excellent

manager and staff." the highest state of efficiency. It was found necessary during the year to add to the herd in order to meet the growing demand for tions in exchange and the developdairy products. We therefore ment of our Company has entailed imported 253 head which owing more than ordinary attention by to the unfavourable exchange cost our Directors. In view of our very \$382,801.24, almost 100 per cent. satisfactory year and in view of higher than previous shipments, the fact that practically all the In order to allay public anxiety other local companies have induring the diphtheria epidemic, creased their Directors' fees, I The following sides will meet on the Hongkong Cricket Club Ground at 2.00 p.m. on Saturday:

H. Owen Hughes (Captain), E. R. time and this has been done for some for the year 1931, in addition to Duckitt, O. E. C. Marton, R. P. time past. I am glad to say that the sum provided in the Com-Edwards, R. H. D. Wade, A. J. R. we are again able to supply our pany's Articles of Association, to Wolff, J. R. Ratten, F. S. W. Paterson, customers with fresh milk and be paid out of the balance car-

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the principal scorer was Weir, who made 74 not out. Five New Zealand to our customers and the public bury, S. Hampden Ross, Chan wickets fell to McMillan for 66 runs. to visit our forms and witness for vickets fell to McMillan for 66 runs. to visit our farms and witness for Nai-pan, H. W. Page, P. H.

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At least it was to Rath Chatterton when she reported to the Paramount Hollywood hendquartern assigned to film her new drama "Once A Lady," which the King's Theatre will show

ton in this new Zoe Akins' adaptation had been divided into three units. and the units were occupied simultaneously with episodes at the studio. at a ranch, and at a garden spot near Pasadena.

The day's work, the busiest in Miss Chatterton's career, was successfully carried out by careful planning and strict observance of a schedule that would have taxed the ingenuity of a

train dispatcher. Miss Chatterton first appeared in somes with Iver Novelle. It was a set reproducing a suite in a Parls

At 11 o'clock she changed costumes and was driven to Passadena for exteriors of an English country home, in scenes with Geoffrey Kerr, who had. been working with extras and at mospheric players before the arrived. In the middle of the afternoon the star joined another unitrof her trouble at the Paramount ranch, where seenes in rural France were being filmed. Mills Chatterton again changed costumes in a portable dressing room and went through the experience of having gone from Paris to the English courstryside and back to France in a few

Florida, Syracuse, New York, Lone don all, in turn, claimed Evelon Brent, but Hollywood put in the Ind claim and there the has attained success has a serven activas. Her latest and most outstanding success is a Cherry Malotte in "The Silver Horde" Radio Pictures' all.

epic of the North which is coming to-morrow to the Queen's Theatre. Miss Brent was born in Florida, but she was moved to Syrneuse, N.Y., at nn carly ago. There she attended school and acquired an ambition to become a school teacher. There was nothing in her early life to indicate

dramatic actresses. School plays bored her, she says. Amateur theatricals of any kind failed

Later she attended a teachers' college in New York, preparing to attain her goal. It was as a student there that she visited a motion picture studio and captured the attention of an assistant director, who offered her

She accepted and after several months of tilts work was given a part. in support of Olga Patrova. Other and better parts followed. The strain of the work began to tell on her, however, and she went to England for a

She was destined for work and a few weeks later found her playing a stage engagement with screen work between performances. A verr later the returned to the United States for a visit during which she was signed on a long term contract by Douglas Fairbanks. It was the beginning of a lore series of featured parts for Miss Brent. She scored sensati nally in "Und rworld" "The Drag Net." "Interference," "The Show Down," "Prondway," and a number of other pewerful drames. Her first preductien for Radio Pictures was 'Framed" which gained her a long term contract

with that organization.

Hollywood extras were much in demand when production began on John Gilbert's newest inlkie, "The Phantom of Paris," which is coming un Sunday to the Queen's Theatre. For the picture is of the claborate type whose scenes require backgrounds populated by large groups of

was this scene completed than filming began on the next sequence, which depicted a ball in a fashionable townhouse. All the extras had to do was to change to formal clothes and they were ready for more work!

ficent bid for the dramatic acting honours of the year as the mastermurderer in Bayard Veiller's first original for the talkies, "Guilty Hands." which is showing at the

being tired of this, that and the other type of story. They wanted some to balling proportions. To reveal bething new. Well, they have it now. | ybnd that point would rob the splend'd | To be sure, there have been mystery film of much, of its entertainment thrillers. Hut nothing like this. It | Alan Mowbray is the chap who is you have a wife of the screaming killed. He plays a very unusual role, type, bring a gag with you. Pins most of it as a corpse. C. Aubrey and needles play tag up and down Smith fills an important part as an

makes the crime appear a suicide. has ever been done on stage From that point on the plot sweeps screen.

SHARE PRICES.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS. The following is the list of local

share quotations issued to-day: Banks.

Hongkong Bank, \$1290 sa. Chartered Banks, £13 n. Mercantile A. and B., £18 n. Eust Asia, \$1271/2 n. Insurances.

Canton Ins., \$1,350 n. Union Ins., \$401 1/2 sa. China Underwriters, \$4.621/2 n. China Fires, \$590 n. H.K. Fire In., \$1,250 n. Shipping. Douglases, \$26 1/2 8.

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Union Waterboats, \$25 n. Mining. Benguests, \$11.75 n. Kailans, 32/6 n. S'hai Explorations, Tls. 2.10 n.

Docks, etc. Kowloon Wharves, 3153 4 n. Whampon Docks, \$29 n. South China Motors \$10 n. Providents (old), \$4.75 b. Hongkews, Tls, 220 n. New Engineers Tla. 61/2 n. Shanghai Docks, Tls. 901/2 n. Cottons.

Ewo Cottons Tls. 13.80 s. Shanghal Cottons, Tls. 801/2 n. Zoon Sings Tis, 111/2 n. Lands, Hotels, etc. H.K. Hotel (ald) \$13.60 b. .H.K. S. Hotels (new) \$134, b. H. K. Lands, \$73 sa. Shar Lands, Tls. 30 n. Humphreys' \$18,30 n.

Realties, \$11 8. Public Offlities. Tramways, \$20.80 b. Peak Trams, cold), \$15.60 n. Star Perries, \$93 sn. China Lights, \$20 b. H. K. Ele tries, \$72 b. Macao Electrics, \$23 n. Telephones, \$43 n. China Buses, Tls. 16 n. Singapore Tractions, 3/- n.

Industrials.

Malabons, \$38 n. Canton Ices, \$5 n. (Cements (com.) \$16.75 b. Ropes, \$1512 n. Stores, etc. Dairy Farms, S29% h.

Watsons, \$16,50 s. Der A. Wings, \$1 n. Lane Crawfords, \$6 n. Mackintosh, \$19 b. Sinceres \$16 n. Powells, \$3,60 n. Miscellaneous,

Amusements, \$19% b. Entertainments (old) \$1614 n Constructions (old) \$5 b. S. C. Enterprises \$10 n. B. Ind. G. \$ Bonds. \$58% n. Loans, \$3% b. Prem. Constructions (new), \$1.75 n.

HONGKONG SHARE MARKET.

OFFICIAL SUMMARY BY STOCK EXCHANGE.

Rates were further marked up this norning, and the market generally shows sugns of firmness.

Hongkong Banks \$1,290. Union Insuranc 8 \$4071/4/408. Hotels (Old) \$13.65. Hongkong Lands \$73. Hongkong Trams \$21. Star Ferries \$93. Electrics \$72/721/4. Telephones (P.P.) \$2114.

Providents (Old) \$4.75. Providents (New) \$2.05. Hotels (Old) \$13.60. Hotels (New) \$13%. H.K. Lands \$72. H.K. Realties \$101/4. Chinese Estates \$95. Ewo Cottons Tls 13,80. H.K. Tranis \$20.80. Yaumati Ferries \$301/4. China Lights (Old) \$20. China Lights (New) \$1914. Electrica \$72. Telephones (P.P.) \$211/2. Singapore Tractions (Pref.) 14/-. Cements (Combined) \$16%. Cements (Old) \$11.75. Cements (New) \$5. Hongkong Ropes \$1514. Dairy Farms \$29%. Amusements \$19.75. Constructions (Old) \$5.

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vour spine. Even if you're bald you'll understanding clergyman. Polly leave the show with hair standing Moran provides laughs and screams as on end. When the dead body, with Aunt Maggie, and the cast is rounded pistol in hand . . . but we'd better out by Forrester Harvey, Charles not tell you about that startling Crockett and Henry Barrows.

Most unusual in point of story, In the nicture Barrymore portrays characterizations and acreen treat-Richard Grant, who, as a prosecutor, ment, this new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer sent fifty men to the electric chair. feature is bound to create fresh in-As a criminal attorney he has saved terest in the mystery type of screen a hundred others from a like fate. He play. It has an astonishing way of discovers his daughter (Miss Evans), keeping you completely baffled when to be infatuated with a wealthy roue. you thought you had everything There is only one way to save her figured out, and the ending is abfrom discrace. He kills the man and solutely startling. Nothing like it

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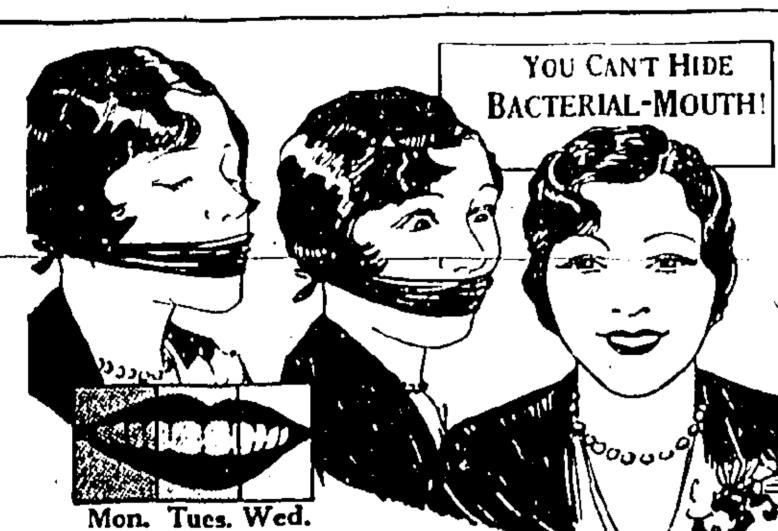
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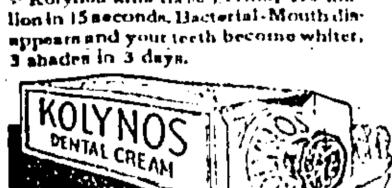
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ST. DAVID'S DAY.

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St. David's Day was duly obtaph in the morning by the President (Mr. David Davies) and the Vice-President (Mr. R. R. Davies). supported by other members of

the Society. In the evening the annual dinner of the Society was held at Lane. Crawford's Restaurant, when there were present representatives of officers and men of the 1st. Battalion The South Wales Borderers, including the Male Voice Choir of the Battalion (whose Welsh songs, together with those of Mrs. F. C. Rendall and Mr. D. M. Richards, were a most enjoyable fenture of the evening) and members and guests to the

total number of nearly a hundred. Grace having been said by the pany sat down to dinner and, after "No, thank you," she said. "Ar hyd y nos" and "Llwyn on."

The Toast. larity with members and friends | were foraging for praise. He referred, with particular apporter, Capt. R. D. Thomas, a past just perceptible -- "love." President. It was a great priand the courtesy of their Officer him up to it. Commanding in permitting their

tions were more than merely like em. They are cool and calmsocial functions. Through their ing. You are cool, but-well, not

Story of St. David. The life story of St. David, continued Mr. Davies, was to a great | extent buried in obscurity as was the story of the times in which he lived. There was, however, suf- that with, 'Is that what girls alficient information to delineate his ways say when you make that portrait with some firmness and speech? No. I can't trap you portrait the important points in his linto the obvious, can I, no matter to mark the important points in his | into the obvious, can I, no matter enreer. St. David was born at how banal I am? Please do tell Menevia. His father was Sandde, me now what you thought when a Prince in the Line of the great | you didn't think, 'Am I really?' " Cunedda, that mighty keeper or the Roman Wall under whose well-one hypocrisy doesn't make a leadership the Celtic tribes united hypocrite, nor one fib a fibber." into a confederacy, and called themselves Cymry. His mother was | tively. "Yes, but actually," he in-Nonna, the daughter of Gynyr, of sisted. "I'm not saying that Chergawch. St. David was first haven't played with girls. I'm not taught by St. Illtyd and later by saving that I haven't thought I had diligent scholar. He won fame short time. I am saying that I've not only as a great patriot, pastor | never before liked a girl, thoroughand preacher but also for his ly and unreservedly. Liking is much mighty works and kindly deeds more important than love, you which filled his life. After he know.' became Primate of South Wales "No," Cecily disputed brazenly. he, with the permission of the "That's like saying that the alpha-King, removed the Archiepiscopal bet is more important than poetry. See from Caerleon to St. David's. One has to be learned before the It is said that he went on a pil- other can be approached—that's all. grimage to Jerusalem, a no easy People have to be friends before matter in those days. He attend- they can be lovers. Love is liking ed a remarkable episcopal Convo- | -intensified, perfected." eation held at Lian Ddewi Brefi "Wrong as wrong!" he declared. for the purpose of refuting certain "But I'm glad you think so. Oh, of the Cross received the leck as a great hurry to be out of the their badge. St. David died on place. 1st March, 601 when about 82 years of age and his grave was

Beautiful Wales. on the beautiful scenery of Wales | terest in all Welsh affairs in this and the romantic association Colony and during the past quarwhich contributed no largely to its charm. The contribution made the Society's celebrations on many which contributed so largely to its charm. The contribution made by many illustrious Welsh people for the enrichment of nations and Welsh people who were not memof the mineral and agricultural bers and those who may become wealth of the country would suf- residents in the future would fice to prove that the importance rally round. of gallant little Wales could not The toast of "Hen Wlad Fy. be estimated by the numerical Nhadau" was greeted with enstrength of its people or in terms thusiasm.

of square area alone.

lovers of song. In conclusion, Mr. Davies refer- longed depression in the coal inred to the achievements of Wales dustry. in the worlds of education and Col. Myles, the President of the Welsh people from his personal sport and renewed the appeal local St. Patrick's Society, added experience.

THREE KINDS OF LOVE.

(Continued from Page 3.)

of a hill. The food was poor, but the view out across the wide valley served in Hongkong yesterday by was a shifting harmony of misty the Hongkong St. David's Society, blues and greys merging into laven-A wrenth was laid on the Cens- der and deepening to violet mar gins in front of a sunset spread like a Japanese fan.

The waitress came and brought the ash tray Barry had asked for, and brushed at some crumbs, and moved the catsup bottle two inches, they watch their habits carefully, and departed.

Barry said, "Cecily, do you know | become irregular, but not before, you are the first real friend— they give them Baby's Own feminine-that I have ever had?" Frail Constance, and her chauf- the less medicine a child has to feur walked in and sat beside him. on the right, and Bea, beautiful though weeping, sat beside him on the left.

Cecily, tired of looking at Constance and her chausseur and Bea, Rev. E. G. Powell, O.B.E., the com- looked again out of the window.

Constance and Bea were both In proposing the toast of "Hen smoking like real comrades and be-Fathers) the President (Mr. could do was to make fun of them. David Davies) said that it was "It seems so old-fashioned for wogratifying to see such a large num | men to smoke, nowadays," she said. ber present which indicated that It didn't ring right, and she knew the Society's annual functions it and could only hope desperately continued to retain their popul that it had not sounded as if she

"But you are as old-fashioned as preciation, to the work on behalf dignity, and good manners, and of the Society of their oldest sup- loyalty, and the hesitation was children. Obtainable from stores

Since never before had he so vilege to have with the Society much as mentioned love in her again representatives of the 1st. connexion to Cecily, it could only Battalion The South Wales Bor- be supposed that either Ben or Conderers and the Male Voice Choir, stance and her chauffeur had put

She continued gazing out of the attendance was much appreciated, window, "Or as Billikens, or March I was for Welsh people cruets, or chaperons?" she said. B. the world over the outstanding for Bea, and two C's, one for Condate of the calendar, and on this stance and one for her chauffeur. day, wherever they might be or He laughed appreciatively. "You however few they might be, loyal are as impersonal," he said; "as a Welsh people would endeavour to librarian or a lily-the two most come together. These celebre- impersonal things on earth. I

observance Welsh people thought always calming. You never say, again of the historic grandeur Why am I? The easy lead into and inherent greatness of their personalities. It's fun when you race. They gathered together to won't; but it trips me up and do homage to the memory of their throws me headlong. You know. patron Saint, to express their You should have said, when I loyalty to the land of their birth told you that you were the first real and the Empire of which it formed | girl friend I'd ever had, 'Why am a part, and to vivify memories of 1? or at least, 'Am I, really?' and that dear old home and fireside. | given me an opportunity to step along in my conversational stride.

"But that wasn't what I thought, just then.' He pretended to sigh with relief. "I was half afraid you'd answer

"I thought" she answered, " 'Oh, He laughed again, less apprecia-Paulinus and proved himself a a bad case, once or twice and for a

doctrines and it was from that boy, but I'm glad you think sol" visit Llan Ddewi Brefi derived its And with that, and nothing furname. It was said that it was ther except, "Shall we go?" he was from St. David that the Soldiers up, and holding-her coat, and in

(To be Continued.)

within his children's territories. made at one of the Society's func-Welsh people to-day used his tions by Sir William Rees Davies, memory to give expression to their a former President, that Welsh sense of racial pride and destiny. people should support the Society and meet together from year to Continuing, Mr. Davies dwelt year. Sir William took a keen in-

Other Speakers. Wales was often referred to as Replying to the toast of the the Land of Song, i.e. Hen Wlad Visitors, proposed by the Vicey Gan. The National Eisteddfod President, Mr. R. R. Davies, the was now an essential part in the Rev. Dr. E. L. Allen, who recently national · life and had become arrived in the Colony from Wales, known the world over. In addi- thanked the Society for the hostion, there were the Cymman- pitality extended, and referred to facedd Ganu; and he thought he the splendid courage and fortitude might justly add that the Weish with which the people in the inhymn strongly appealed to all dustrial area of South Wales were carrying on, in spite of the pro-

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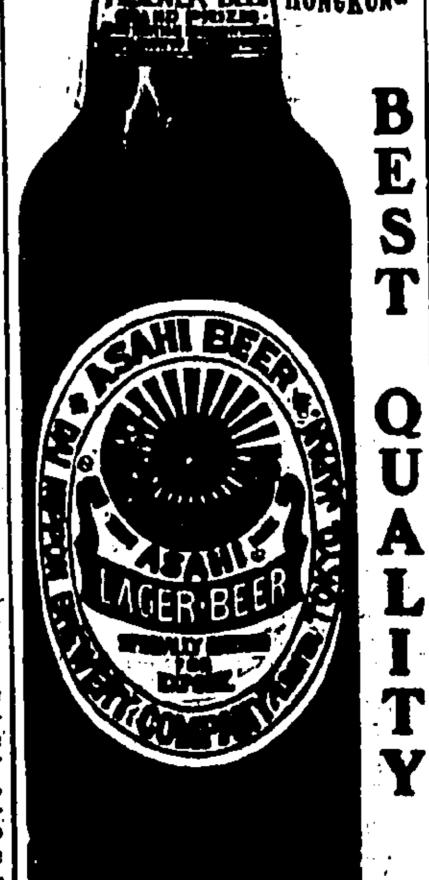
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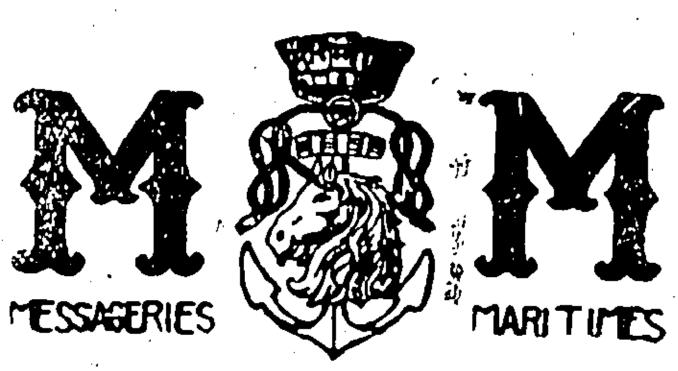
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WIFE'S CLAIM FOR MAINTENANCE.

HUSBAND DENIES CHARGES.

Further evidence was given by Mr. Mohamed Farid before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court yesterday afternoon in the summons case in which he is being sued by his wife for maintenance and the custody of the two chil-

for the defendant, while Mr. G. K. Hall Brutton represents the wife. In reply to Mr. Brooks the defendant described his wife's dissention as being due chiefly to her inability to work and her resentment cerned housing is the most imof advice when given by her portant question of the economic mother-L. law. She was always and social problems. going out and neglecting the chil- It may seem that to be poor is to dren and when her duties to her invite tuberculosis, but it is not household were impressed upon her necessarily so. Although the poor by the defendant's mother she live in small over-crowded dwelwould reply that if she herself did lings, it costs nothing to admit not mind it was no business of the fresh air and sunlight into their

defendant, would shout at the top may live for ten months or more of her voice for all the neighbours in darkened rooms, is sometimes to hear her, and used all sorts of killed on exposure to direct sunepithets, bringing up the family's light within'n few minutes. past history and so forth. She was ill-tempered and even when healthy houses should be unrewitness joked with her she would servedly condemned. Unfortunatenot like it.

complainant in her evidence,

Witnesses Lie!

Mr. Brutton (cross-examining) According to your story you told to the court you are the ill-used person and your wife is not?--

And yet you want her back?—

Why was it that you insisted on Mrs. Madar being sworn on the Koran?-Because I had hoped to make her tell the truth.

So you are alleging that Mrs Madar has committed perjury?-What I said was she was not telling the truth, Is that not the same thing? --

And you are the only person telling the truth in this Court?---I am telling the truth. And do you allege that you are

the only person telling the truth?--I know I am telling the truth. You say that your wife was lying? Yes.

That Mrs. Madar was lying?-To a certain extent, Mr. Brutton went through the names of all his witnesses and asked whéther each had beer lying, the witness roplying in the affirmative,

All my witnesses then were lying? -Yes. Later Mr. Brutton asked: You

think very highly of your mother don't you? I respect my mother. Your mother is a strict disciplinarian?- -Quite strict. You would not call your mother

a sweet tempered woman? She's a very reasonable woman. You would not call her sweet that they were true. tempered?-She's normal. Is it normal in your family to

slap people?--.No, ... Assault Allegation.

You have always regarded your wife as incompetent?-Yes. Uscless?---Not uscless.

What expression would you use? prove that. -Ignorant, ill-tempered. Before you married her you did not know she was ignorant and incompetent?--No. And that was your complaint, sides.

THE TUBERCULOSIS SCOURGE.

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Prevention From Social Aspect.

blem which is closely-linked social and economic problems requiring to be dealt with by the community as a whole, by social nd the custody of the two chil-ren.
Mr. E. S. C. Brooks is appearing 70 per cent. of tuberculosis occurs

among the poor it is indeed economic question. ignorance, under-feeding and tuberculosis are bed-fellows.

As far as tuberculosis is con-

homes. It has been shown that the The complainant, continued the tuberculosis microbe, though it

Ill-ventilated and otherwise un ly each time a house is improved, Witness denied that he had never the rent goes up on account of bought his wife any clothing, the capital outlay. The poorer When questioned further witness classes should be encouraged to were brought against him by the cheap; and if only the building authority will co-operate by permitting less substantial structures. provided they are commensurate with fordinary safety, then hap-

> that she was ignorant and incompetent?--It was not a complaint. her?--- I don't deny it. I have

beaten her with a slap. Mr. Brutton referred witness to ing events which had occurred dur-"This is the attitude you want your wife to adopt," Mr. Brutton said, adding, "You would humble yourself and you would like your wife to humble herself to your

mother?" was in the wrong.

ignorant, incompetent and therefore, she is wrong all the time. After further questions Mr. Brutton referred to the passage in the letter in which witness mentioned the incident of the feather duster and, reminding witness that fevery point of view. The only Mr. Sadick had stated in evidence thing I am sorry about is that Dr. that he had seen the weals on the Li did not stress more the prevencomplainant the next day, Mr. tative side of tuberculosis be-Brutton asked: Do you think that | cause the more I see of Hongkong

emblem of manhood, at least in our is rather a disaster. All efforts religion. words "She's not so tame as I doubtedly very excellent things

always imagined" which appeared as they have proved at home durin the letter, witness remarking irg the course of years. They are

According to our Religion a man is very doubtful. Therefore, can beat his wife if she disobeys would suggest that for Hongkong

nonsense! You say a man can medicine is the one province of beat up his wife?--Yes, I can medicine in which the quack dare After further evidence the hear- of a qualified medical man and in

ing was adjourned until this after- that particular preventive medinoon when the final addresses will cine we have most hope in the fube made by the solicitors of both ture for the stamping out of tu-

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London, March 1. Sir George Mays has been ap-Tuberculosis is a medical pro- pointed chairman, at a salary of to £5,000 annually, of the committee to advise the Government in the application of the tariffs under the new Import Duties Bill, which operates to-day.

Sir Sydney Chapman and Sir George Allan Powell, his colleagues, receive £3,000 per annum

pier days for the poor are in sight. From a tuberculosis point of view submit that living in an overcrowded, unhealthy dwelling, is more dangerous to life than living in a less substantially constructed

Improved Housing Benefits. The general health and physique of the people, especially those of the children, are directly affected by improved housing, providing thereby sunlight, fresh nir, and open spaces. It has been proven that at twelve years of age a boy at Bourneville weighed 8 pounds more and was two inches taller than boy of the same class in Birmingham. At Port Sunlight a boy of fourteen, weighed 30 pounds more and was six inches taller than a boy of the same class and age in Liverpool, six miles also denied the allegations which live in the suburbs, where land is away. In short, we should help to multiply garden cities and garden suburbs; and to clear slums and encourage suburban life. Lord, Rosebury once said, "In

rookeries and slums an imperial race cannot be raised."

Public Support Necessary. The prevention of tuberculosis is, then, both a medical and social I tried to make the best of things. question. Tuberculosis is control-Do you deny that you ever bent lable. If we may not be able to eradicate it in this generation, we shall at least lay a sound foundlation for the well-being of the fua letter which he had written to the ture generation. Fighting against complainant's brother recapitulat- the disease is a long-drawn battle in which the scientist, philaning the period of their married life. thropist, and politician should cooperate; and they should have the courage and perseverance to follow up the advance made. In this battle of man versus microbe the public must support the medical profession and the authorities. Witness replied: Only when she The prosperity and happiness of the people depend on health. Mr. Brutton: She was wrong Prevention is the order of the day. all the time according to you, She's Surely freedom from disease is a freedom worth fighting for in this world of suffering and pain.

Preventative Work Emphasised. Professor Gerrard, in thanking Ithe speaker, said: "The paper has been a very excellent one from the proper treatment of your wife? the more I am convinced that Witness: I was upholding the talking about curing tuberculosis should be on the preventive side. Mr. Brutton mentioned the Sanatoria and so on are unvaluable educational centres for Mr. Brutton: So believing in her tuberculosis patients but whether tameness you ill-treated her? they proved of real value or not the preventive side is the most talk important one, as preventative not enter. It is the sole province berculosis.

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DANGEROUS GOODS PROSECUTION.

SINCERE COMPANY FINED THIS MORNING.

The Manager of the Sincere Company, Mr. Chen See, was summoned before Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning for using part of the Company's signed to improve the condition of factory at Davies Street, Kennedy Town, for storing and blending dangerous goods without a licence There were two different summonses, concerning two lots of Florida water and other lotions, amounting to 845 gallons which the police authorities declared had points under 76 deg. Fah, and did

not exceed 150 deg. Mr. Horace Lo, for the defence, returned a plea of "guilty" to a technical offence. He stated that the alterations to the godown required of them by the Inspector General of Police were very inconvenient if not impracticable, and this considered beside the fact that the Company had not found worth their while to continue in this line of goods, had induced them not to apply for a renewal

tural alterations required of them. 504 pounds. Defendant was fined \$100 on

each of the two summonses.

CHINESE RETREAT.

(Continued from Page 1).

the peace negotiations come to anything, in which matter there is little confidence at present. The point of disembarkation for the Japanese troops is understood to be opposite the South-East

Knoll buoy, situated south of the lying off the South-East Knoll ! dition is not serious. buoy, and to-morrow seven more

are due to arrive in that locality. BOATS FOR CREEKS. bottomed boats and also motor- the dawn. boats, the idea being to utilise these

craft for the transportation

abound in the fighting areas. The reason for the landing of troops on the Past war a tree officially stated to be that there are Chinese troops in the Pootung hintorland which will be the object of attack unless they retire.

troops on the many creeks which

JAPANESE CLAIMS. Shanghai, Mor. 2, 9 56 a.m.

Chinese troops on the Klangwan

HIGHER PRICES FOR WHEAT.

BREAD "MAY NOT COST MORE!"

London, Mar. 1. A further important measure deargiculture was considered in the House of Commons to-day when the Minister for Agriculture, Sir

flash which is to provide wheat-growers ciation, and other outgoings, is \$608,within the United Kingdom with a 361.30. The amount brought forsecure market and enhanced price making a total of \$984,091,43 availfor home-grown wheat of miliable able for appropriation. quality, without a subsidy from The Directors recommend the folcouraging the extension of wheat per share, \$480,000; to pay a Bonus of \$2.00 per share \$160,000; to carry cultivation to land unsuitable forward \$344,091.43.

Sir John Gilmour said it was in- Joseph was invited to join the Board. tended that every registered wheat Mr. A. H. Compton and Mr. J. P. grower in the Kingdom should be Worren retire according to the Arentitled to receive, at the end of ticles of Association, but being of the permit when it expired last each cereal year, a so-called de- excele, offer themselves for re-elecear.

Mr. Lo referred to correspon- present the difference reckoned Seth and Fleming, Incorporated dence between the police authori- in the growers' certified sales be- Accountants, and Linstead and Davis. ties and hire Department and the tween the ascertained average Chartered Accountants, have audited Company in this connexion, and price of home-grown miliable the accounts now presented and offer stated that, latterly, with the still wheat and the standard price of themselves for re-election. Jagge balance of stock still left in ten shillings a hundredweight, their hands, the Company had gone which was the equivalent of fortyahead and complied with the struc- five shillings per quarter of

> The Bill contained a provision for a review of the, position in three years, A limit of mix m'Ilion quarters would be imposed! one year.

The Government did not anticipate any permanent or general increase in bread prices as a result of the Bill, British Wireless.

front have abandoned their posi- linquishment of his prevent minis-The transports have on board, tions, having carried out a general try has not been fixed, and until besides troops, a number of flat- retreat in the darkness preceding he leaves he will make no final

> Consequently, when the Japanese the appointment of his successor." infantry were launched upon a tensive hombardment of the vacuted positions, they encountered no thing further to add to it." opposition and are now steadily

DEMORALISED? The Januage e declare that the re- and Roman Catholic chirches.

past few days.—Reuter.

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the directors will be submitted:
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Auditors' Fees, allowing for Depre-

the Exchequer and without en- lowing:-To pay a dividend of \$6.00

Directors .- During the year, Mr. Referring to the standard price. J. E. Joseph resigned his sent on leaving the Colony and Mr. Felix A.

DR. ORCHARD RESIGNS.

HIS REASONS.

The secretary of King's Weigh in respect of which the deficiency House Church, London, W., state ! payment would be made in any recently that the resignation of its minister, Dr. W. E. Orchard, had been accepted by the Church Meeting with regret. The Secretary said:

"Among the reasons given for his resignation, Dr. Orchard instances the defeat for the time being of the earnest attempts and During building operations on a prolonged accordations on behalf house in Hennessy Road yesterday a of Reunion, and the misunderheacon on Blockhouse Island, house in nemicory read 30, a brick- standing of our attempts to comwhich is also known as Iyawasha. Inver. lost his balance and fell into bine the differing forms of church At present, two Japanese trans- the street, receiving a lacerated worship and order resulting in an ports with troops on board are wound to his left thigh. His con- isolation, which is not and never has been the aim of the King's Weigh House Church.

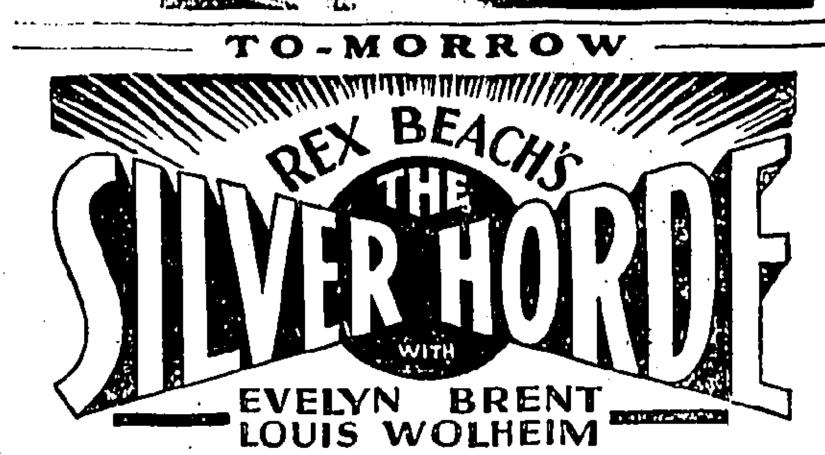
"The date of Dr. Orchard's redecision concerning his future. "The Church is now considering

Dr. Orchard told a reporter: general offensive, following an in- office statement has been issued with my authority, and I have no-During the war Dr. Orchard advancing on the village of Tazang. preached pacifism and later intro-Lduced into the services a ritual Characteristic of Angle-Catholic

trenting Chinese troops have been | His friends state that he thus utterly demoralised by the inten-preceived an invitation from Har-The Japanese claim that the lace Japan so bombardments of the vard University to join its preaching staff.

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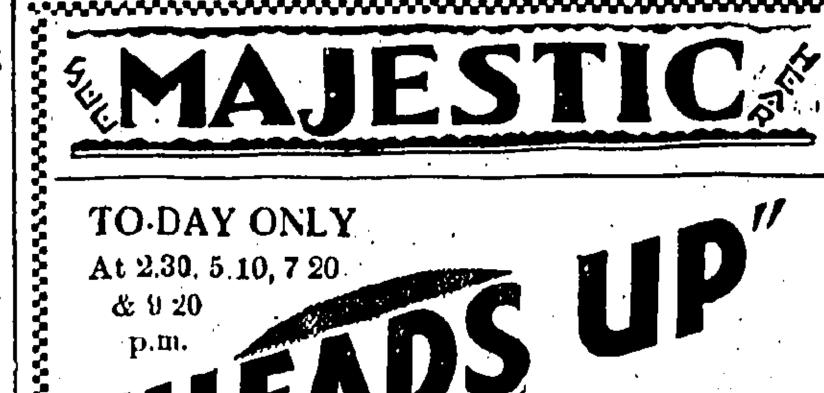


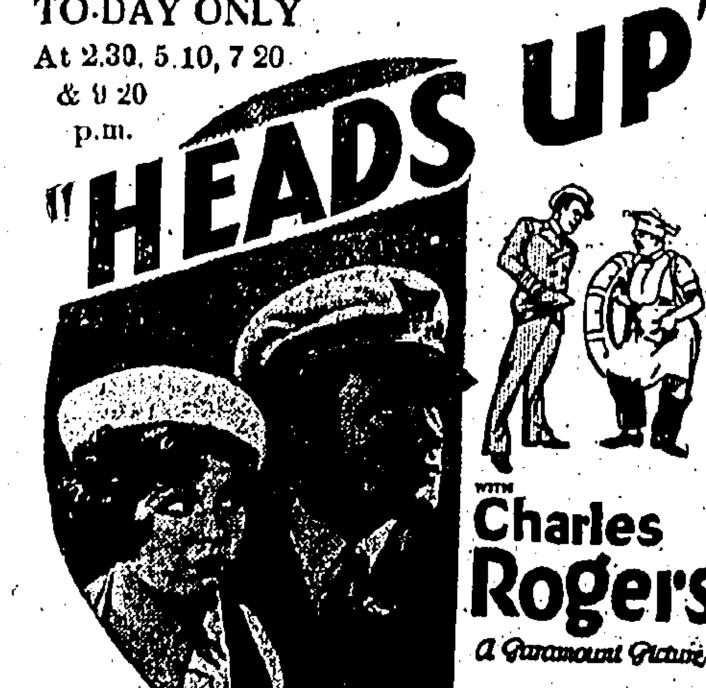


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